# **Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP)**

Spring 2020



Grades 10 & 11
Test Administrator's Manual/Scripts

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## **About This Manual**

The *Test Administrator's Manual/Scripts* (*TAM*) contains important test administration information pertaining to all grades taking the Spring 2020 Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) assessment. **All test administrators are required to read this manual prior to testing.** The script within each grade-specific *TAM* contains test administration information, including testing times, and materials required by session.

For the Grades 10 and 11 online assessment, the TAM will be available electronically. Schools will not receive a paper copy of the TAM and will need to print copies if desired.

Accommodated Kit Test Materials Only: Pearson will provide the following paper test materials for students requiring Braille, audio CD/flash drive, large-print or text reader.

Grade 10 and 11 Test Materials (paper-based)	
Grade 10 Reading Test Booklet	Х
Grade 10 Reading Student Response Booklet	Х
Grade 10 Mathematics Test Booklet	Х
Grade 10 Mathematics Student Response Booklet	Х
Grade 11 Science Student Booklet	Х
Grade 11 Science Student Response Booklet	Х
Grade 11 On-Demand Writing Test Booklet	Х
Grade 11 On-Demand Writing Student Response Booklet	Х

## **K-PREP Grades 10 and 11 Important Dates**

User	Action	Begin Date	
Pearson	PearsonAccess <sup>next</sup> live and training sites available	Jan 17	
	Load student data in PearsonAccessnext	Depends on shipment option	
	Post DAC/BAC and Test Admin Manuals	Late March-Early April	
DAC/BAC	Create user accounts	Jan 17	
	Verify student registration	Depends on shipment option	
	Create test sessions	April 6 – June 5	
	Prepare test sessions	2 weeks prior to testing	
	Start and monitor test sessions	April 6 – June 5	
Technology Staff	Prepare online testing environment	At least 2 weeks prior to testing	
	Configure TestNav 8 in PearsonAccess <sup>next</sup>	Before test sessions are created	
	Precache test content (districts may use at their own discretion)	March 25	
Test Administrators	Review Test Admin Manual	Early April	
	Start and monitor test sessions	April 6 – June 5	
Students	Practice Tests and TestNav 8 tutorials	Jan 17 – June 6	
	Take assessment	April 6 – June 6	

## Introduction

Both grade 10 reading and mathematics and grade 11 science and on-demand writing assessments will be administered in a secure online computer environment. Paper and pencil versions of the test are offered only for students with accommodated kits (Braille, audio cd/flash drive, large-print, and text reader).

District Assessment Coordinators (DACs), Building Assessment Coordinators (BACs), and Test Administrators will use an online tool called PearsonAccess<sup>next</sup> (PAN). PAN is the assessment management system for the online K-PREP assessment. In this system, users can review and manage student data and student tests, set up and start testing sessions, print testing tickets, and monitor student test progress. School Technology Coordinators will work with DACs and BACs to ensure the set up for this system.

Instructions for using PAN.

The tests are delivered to students online through a downloadable application called TestNav 8, in which students will complete the online tests. Technology Coordinators can prepare student workstations for testing by downloading TestNav 8 onto testing computers.

Instructions for using TestNav 8.

## Part 1: Security Requirements and Responsibilities

Security requirements are included in this manual to protect the validity of the online K-PREP assessment. The term "secure test materials" in this document refers to student online tests, test items and other necessary material used to administer the online tests (student testing tickets, seal codes, scratch paper, rosters, etc.). All paper-based accommodated kits (Braille, large-print, audio CD/flash drive, text reader) follow the same security requirements.

Test security measures have been added with checks and processes to monitor appropriate administrations of state-required tests.

The District and Building Assessment Coordinators' Manual and the grade-specific Test Administrator's Manual have been created to assist school personnel in administering the K-PREP. District Assessment Coordinators (DACs) and Building Assessment Coordinators (BACs) are responsible for ensuring that all personnel within the school buildings are aware of the policies set forth in this manual. Failure to follow proper procedures can result in an allegation and possible invalidation of scores or other disciplinary actions. Any violation or suspected violation of test security requirements set forth in this manual must be reported to the BAC, the DAC and the Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) immediately.

Accommodations provided on all state assessments are to be identified in a current Individual Education Program (IEP), 504 Plan or Program Service Plan (PSP). It is critical that all accommodations that will be provided on the online state assessment have been identified and discussed by all involved parties, and guidelines have been followed as set forth in the Inclusion of Special Populations in the State-Required Assessment and Accountability Programs (703 KAR 5:070) regulation. Paper versions (kits) of the test are offered for accommodated students (Braille, large-print, audio CD/flash drive, and text reader).

## **Responsibilities of Test Administrators**

#### As a test administrator, you are responsible for:

- Reading, signing and abiding by the Administration Code for Kentucky's Educational Assessment Program (703 KAR 5:080) and the Inclusion of Special Populations in the State-Required Assessment and Accountability Programs (703 KAR 5:070).
- Reading this manual before the test administration and administering the test according to the instructions in this manual.
- Monitoring students closely to ensure that every student has a fair and equal chance to receive valid results.
- ➤ Verifying that materials containing content information or strategies for solving problems are covered or removed from classroom walls, bulletin boards, or other surfaces (e.g., ceilings, floors, blinds, windows, and clothing) during testing sessions.
- Conducting makeup testing for students absent from original test sessions, if assigned to do so.
- Preparing the testing environment, ensuring that students have the necessary equipment and materials as appropriate.

- Protecting the security of the K-PREP assessment by carefully following the instructions in this manual for administering the assessment in TestNav 8, and starting and stopping test sessions in PAN.
- Notifying the BAC of testing irregularities immediately.
- Reading the Appropriate Assessment Practices Certification Form in the Appendix of this manual, abiding by the practices described therein and returning a signed copy to your BAC.
- Reading the online student honor code aloud at onset of testing.
- Returning any test materials in a secure manner to the BAC, such as test tickets and scratch paper.
- Completing seating charts is a required task for all state-required test administrations, reflecting students and adults in the testing room. <u>Seating Charts</u> are collected and maintained for 12 months at the district office. Examples are included on the <u>Forms</u> page on the KDE website.

## **Secure Test Materials**

## Confidentiality—Student Online Tests, Test Questions, Scratch Paper, and Student Responses

**Caution:** Test questions in the K-PREP online assessment are copyrighted, secure materials, and should be protected at all times.

- From test preparation to test completion, no school personnel may view, reveal or discuss the contents of the online assessment or student responses without approval from KDE.
- > Students may not be given access to the online test by any school personnel prior to testing.
- School personnel may not duplicate, print, record, write notes (electronically or by any other means) on any portions of the online test or student responses. School personnel may NOT audiotape, videotape, photograph or photocopy online materials.
- Student testing tickets are secure. If the DAC or BAC prints the tickets ahead of time, they must be stored in a secure area until the time of testing. Storage locations within classrooms must be secured with double locks.
- In accordance with Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) rules, do not return test materials damaged by bodily fluids; they will not be processed or scored. These accommodated paper materials (kits) must be securely destroyed. All testing tickets must be securely destroyed after the completion of testing.

## Supervising Test Sessions with and without Accommodations

### **Responsibilities While Supervising Test Sessions**

All online tests must be administered according to the procedures documented in this manual.

- Test administrators may NOT leave students unsupervised at any time. Test administrators must focus their full attention on students and their testing environment while supervising testing through active monitoring.
- Active monitoring is required by the test administrators.
- Content information or strategies for solving problems on classroom walls, bulletin boards or other surfaces (e.g., ceilings, floors, blinds, windows and clothing) must be covered or removed during testing sessions. Standard periodic tables need not be covered or removed.

### Responsibilities While Providing Accommodations

➤ Test administrators are responsible for providing appropriate accommodations as outlined in this manual, in the *District and Building Assessment Coordinators' Manual*, and as defined in the Kentucky regulation *Inclusion of Special Populations in the State-Required Assessment and Accountability Programs (703 KAR 5:070)*. Provide the required accommodations identified in the student's individual Education Program (IEP), 504 Plan or Program Services Plan (PSP) and used routinely and consistently throughout the year in instruction. For Grades 10 and 11, accommodated materials (kits) are paper-based, and include: Braille, Large Print, Text Reader and Audio-CD/Flash Drives. Other accommodations are provided on the online assessments as identified in the student's IEP, 504 Plan or PSP.

Accommodated students receiving a paper-based format of the assessment, may use an approved hand-held calculator (see Calculator Policy on page 11.) when taking the online assessment.

Extended time, for students with a current IEP, 504 Plan or PSP, shall be available to the student once standard test time has ended. Extended time will be given as long as the student is demonstrating on-task efforts which allow the student to make progress on completing his/her assessment responses. The school shall provide proper supervision to maintain an appropriate assessment atmosphere.

Test administrators providing accommodations may NOT leave students unsupervised at any time. Test administrators must focus their full attention on students and their testing environment while supervising testing.

## **Reporting Cheating**

Student cheating or jeopardizing test security is serious and, in many cases, leads to disciplinary actions.

Monitoring a test administration requires more than starting/stopping test sessions. Test administrators are expected to monitor students closely to ensure that every student has the same testing experience. A test administrator's responsibilities during testing include, but are not limited to, actively moving about the room to ensure that:

- Students are working in the appropriate online test.
- Students are using appropriate resources.
- Students are accessing only approved electronic devices.

- Students are not talking to other students and are not looking at another student's work.
- Students are not in any way conducting themselves in a manner that would be considered inappropriate for the testing session.

A test administrator should also be aware of student behavior before and after testing to monitor that secure test information is not being shared in a manner which could include a face-to-face conversation or posting on social media.

#### Student

Inappropriate student behavior is not considered an allegation but should be properly reported. Should it be determined by school/district staff that a student has cheated or jeopardized test security by revealing test information, specific steps should be taken to report the incident through the <u>Allegation Reporting Application</u> on KDE's website. The information should be entered into the application following the step-by-step directions on the website. Information regarding the incident should be gathered as soon as possible.

The information should include school/district name, testing room number, student name(s), State Student Identification number (SSID), test administrator's name(s), grade level, content area, form number (science), item numbers, a detailed description of what happened, how the situation was handled, date of incident, and any other information deemed to be pertinent. Schools should use this information when determining disciplinary action for the student's misbehavior.

#### **Test Administrator**

It is considered an allegation when test administrators cause or allow inappropriate student behavior. The incident should be filed as an allegation using the same application and similar process as filing for student misbehavior. Test administrators may face consequences based on the outcome of the KDE investigation.

## **Testing Irregularities**

Any problems that occur during testing should be documented thoroughly by the personnel involved. Test administrators should forward this documentation to their BAC, who will pass it on to the DAC. If the problem concerns secure materials that have been jeopardized and there is the possibility of an allegation, the DAC must enter information in the <u>Allegation Reporting Application</u> on KDE's website. If the irregularity does not concern secure material and there is no allegation concern, the documentation must be kept on file at the district office. See additional information about testing irregularities on page 35.

## Student Data Review and Rosters (SDRR) Application

KDE's electronic SDRR application is used for the collection of student rosters, requesting non-participations and for data review.

Schools and districts are required to identify which students in grades 10-11 taking the Spring 2020 K-PREP have been enrolled for 100 instructional days based on the first day of the 14-day summative testing window for each district. Reporting is required for all students taking the Spring 2020 K-PREP.

## **Online Student Listing/Roster**

The Student Listing/Roster is a list of all students that have been pre-loaded to PAN based upon the district's selected shipping option. The listing/roster includes demographic information captured in Infinite Campus (IC). To view the Student Listing/Roster, log on to PAN, go to Setup → Students. Select the Search dropdown to show all results. Select the check-box next to the student or students to view or update.

## Calculator Use Policy for State Testing (paper-based)

In order to create a test administration that provides every student with a fair and equitable assessment opportunity, KDE has developed a calculator policy. Following this policy will ensure that all students have a measure of their academic achievement that is comparable to all students across the state.

The KDE calculator policy applies to all paper-based state assessments, and to all students, including those who receive test accommodations with an Individual Education Program (IEP) or 504 Plan.

In some rare instances, a student with an IEP or a 504 Plan might use a device not listed on the approved calculator list. The District Assessment Coordinator (DAC) must submit a written request to the Office of Assessment and Accountability (OAA) for permission allowing a student to use the device not included on the list. OAA will consider the request, which will include reviewing IEPs or 504 plans, to determine if the device is part of the plan and whether it would provide an unfair advantage on state assessments.

#### **Prohibited Computer Applications, Programs and Documents**

During test administration, all applications, programs or documents built-in, created or downloaded on calculators are prohibited for use on state assessments. This includes all applications and programs with a computer algebra system (CAS)<sup>1</sup>. Some permitted calculators have suppression functions, such as Press to Test, that disable applications and use of documents for testing purposes. If available, the suppression function should be used on permitted calculators to deactivate prohibited applications and programs<sup>2</sup>. In addition, all stored documents must be removed.

#### **Prohibited Calculators**

The following types of calculators are **prohibited**:

- calculators with built-in or downloaded computer algebra system functionality Prohibited calculators in this category include:
  - Texas Instruments: All model numbers that begin with TI-89 or TI-92 and the TI-Nspire CAS—Note: The TI-Nspire (non-CAS) is permitted.
  - Hewlett-Packard: HP Prime, HP 48GII and all model numbers that begin with HP 40G, HP 49G, or HP 50G
  - Casio: fx-CP400 (ClassPad 400), Algebra fx 2.0, ClassPad 300 and ClassPad 330, and all model numbers that begin with CFX-9970G
- handheld, tablet, or laptop computers, including PDAs
- electronic writing pads or pen-input devices—Note: The Sharp EL 9600 is permitted.
- calculators built into cell phones or any other electronic communication devices
- calculators with a keypad (letter keys in QWERTY format)—Note: Letter keys not in QWERTY format are permitted.

#### **Calculators Permitted with Modification**

The following types of calculators are permitted, but only after they are modified as noted:

- calculators that can hold programs or documents—Remove all documents and remove all programs that have computer algebra system functionality
- calculators with paper tape—Remove the tape
- calculators that make noise—Turn off the sound
- calculators with an infrared data port—Completely cover the infrared data port with heavy opaque material such as duct tape or electrician's tape (includes Hewlett-Packard HP 38G series, HP 39G series and HP 48G)
- calculators that have power cords—Remove all power/electrical cords

#### **Permitted Calculators**

Students may use any four-function, scientific, or graphing calculator, as long as:

- ✓ It is not on the list of Prohibited Calculators.
- ✓ All applications, programs and documents have been removed or deactivated as described in the Prohibited Computer Applications, Programs and Documents section.
- ✓ Proctors have made necessary modifications based on the Calculators Permitted with Modification section

<sup>1</sup>Calculators with a Computer Algebra System (CAS) are capable of producing symbolic results. These calculators can manipulate algebraic expressions, performing operations such as factor, expand and simplify. In addition, calculators with CAS can give answers in exact form without numerical approximations (Wikipedia). Some examples of applications with CAS functionalities: all versions of Zoom-Math, APP4MATH, F2K, Allmath and Polynomials All in One.

<sup>2</sup>Knowledgeable school staff may need to assist students in reinstalling or reactivating suppressed applications after testing is complete.

## **Calculator Use Policy for Online Testing**

Desmos calculators will be available for students to use in TestNav for the K-PREP assessment. The calculator available differs by grade level (four-function, scientific or graphing). The calculator will appear on the online screen on certain questions that allow a calculator when the **Calculator** button is selected. To move the calculator, students will select the calculator and drag it. Students can select the buttons or use their keyboard to use the calculator. Selecting the **Calculator** button again closes the calculator.

The Desmos online calculators are available for free to all students now and throughout the school year. They may be used by students during instruction to plot functions, create tables, make graphs, etc. at <u>Desmos.com</u>.

Providing the online calculators within the TestNav system further standardizes the assessment. All students using the same calculator adds to the validity of Kentucky's state test. Valid inferences about students' knowledge and/or skills can be made.

Only students that receive specific accommodations or accommodated kits can use a hand-held calculator. If a student is taking the test using Braille, Audio CD/flash drive, Large-Print or Text Reader, then they may use a calculator from the approved calculator policy on page 11. See detailed directions on page 24.

Tutorial videos are available for practice and guidance on the <u>Desmos</u> site.

## Online Practice Tests and TestNav 8 Tutorial

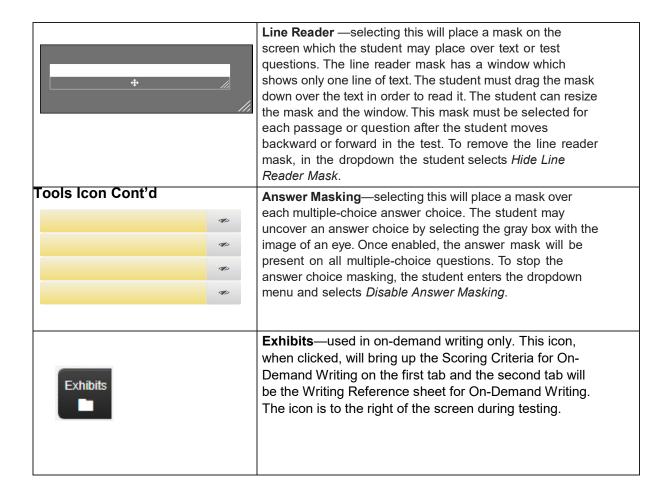
The Kentucky practice tests and TestNav 8 tutorial will familiarize students with the online testing environment and the question formats. These are optional and separate from the required online tests; however, it is strongly recommended that students have the opportunity to access the practice tests and tutorial, so that they can become familiar with the item types on the test and to learn how to use the TestNav 8 tools before testing. The online practice test and TestNav 8 tutorial must be administered on a different day from live testing; these may be administered prior to the testing window. The time spent on these should consider students' needs and familiarity with computers.

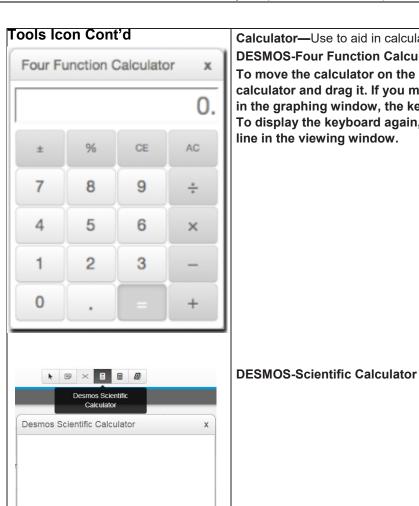
Kentucky Practice Tests (<u>Reading</u>, <u>Mathematics</u>, <u>Science</u>, and <u>On-Demand Writing</u>) and the <u>TestNav 8 Tutorial</u>, can be accessed on the landing page of PearsonAccess<sup>next</sup>.

## TestNav 8 Online Tools

Students are permitted to use the following tools, embedded in TestNav 8:

Tool Icon	Tool Name and Description
<b>k</b>	<b>Pointer—</b> Use to select on screen and to place the cursor in an answer box, plot points, select one or more answers, and drag information from one location to another.
×	Answer Eliminator—Use to eliminate (cross off) answer options. This tool functions with multiple-choice and multiple-select items.
Notespad x  I can use the notespad to take notes during my teet.]	Notepad—Use to type notes while testing.
Ctrl +	Zoom In/Out—Use to zoom in or out on a test page using keyboard shortcuts.  Windows: [Ctrl] and [+] to zoom in  [Ctrl] and [-] to zoom out  [Ctrl] and [0] to reset to default
command +	Mac: [Cmd] and [+] to zoom in [Cmd] and [-] to zoom out [Cmd] and [0] to reset to default
The States Congred at I and I	Magnifier Tool—Use to magnify text, by dragging over it.





Calculator—Use to aid in calculation

**DESMOS-Four Function Calculator** 

To move the calculator on the screen, select the calculator and drag it. If you move the calculator or pan in the graphing window, the keyboard will be put away. To display the keyboard again, select the expression line in the viewing window.



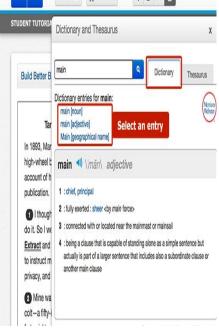
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#### DESMOS-Graphing Calculator



#### **Dictionary and Thesaurus**

Can switch between both using the tabs in the top right corner. The dictionary differs by grade level, high school will have access to a High School level dictionary. (on-demand writing only)

Note: Electronic dictionaries cannot run on the same computer as the one running TestNav.

#### Tools with no icons:

Highlighter tool-The highlighter tool is available for students to use without clicking an icon in the toolbar. Instead, turn on the highlighter by selecting a word or group of words. Highlight color choices differ, depending on the background and foreground color.

**Tools Carry Over-**A student can activate a tool on one item and have that tool still be active while navigating to other items. Normally, a tool only stays active on the item it is enabled on.

Passage Carry Over- This is a passive, always on tool. It cannot be toggled on/off. The feature makes sure the place in the passage is stored so when students toggle between questions or passages, it resumes exactly where the student previously stopped reading.

#### **Approved Testing Resources**

Students are permitted to use the tools and resource materials listed below:

- Student Test Tickets (Testing Tip: Student test tickets may be used as scratch paper and then be securely destroyed after testing.)
- Dictionary (use paper dictionary only if online dictionary is not available for on-demand writing only)
- Thesaurus (use paper thesaurus only if online thesaurus is not available for on-demand writing only)
- Scratch paper (note pad is also available for all subjects)
- > Pen/Pencil for use with scratch paper
- ➤ Hand-held calculators--accommodated students receiving a paper-based format of the assessment, and who have calculator marked on their IEP/504, may use an approved hand-held calculator (see detailed instructions on page 11.)

#### **Unapproved Resource Materials**

Students are NOT permitted to use the tools and resource materials listed below:

- ➤ Books such as encyclopedias and textbooks are not permitted for use. Allowing non-content books after testing is a district decision.
- Copies of acronyms
- Graphic organizers
- Editing devices (e.g., spell-checker or grammar-checker)
- Cell phones, Smart phones, iWatches or similar wrist devices with Internet access
- ➤ Electronic devices (e.g., iPods, or other music players, pocket translators, Smartwatch, PDAs)

**Note:** Students with IEPs, 504 Plans or PSPs may have some of these resources as outlined in their educational plan.

## Part 2: Who Should Be Tested

## **Students Tested**

All students enrolled in grades 10 and 11, including newly enrolled students, must take the K-PREP unless they are participating in the Alternate K-PREP. Each school must test every student who is enrolled in the school on the first day of the school/district's 14-day summative test window. Students may not be excluded from testing because of poor academic performance, absenteeism or discipline problems.

Students who are required to test include the following:

- > Students with disabilities
- > Foreign exchange students
- Students who are retained
- Students who move during testing
- Students experiencing a minor medical emergency
- > Students in alternate settings receiving home/hospital instruction
- > Students in alternative programs
- English Learners (ELs) in their second year (or beyond)
- > EL students in their first year must attempt mathematics and science at tested grades.

Please see the following sections for more information on testing students who fall into these categories.

#### **Retained Students**

A student retained in any grade, in which state-required assessments are administered shall participate in the assessments for that grade again and shall continue to be included in all reporting calculations.

#### **Foreign Exchange Students**

Foreign exchange students enrolled in Kentucky public schools will participate in all state-required assessments.

#### **Grade Level Testing**

If a student is double promoted or otherwise skips a grade in the normal progression of grades primary through grade 12, the student will not take the state-required assessments associated with the grade being skipped.

#### **Students With Disabilities**

Students with disabilities must take the K-PREP unless they are participating in the Alternate K-PREP. Students with disabilities may participate with or without accommodations. (See Part 3: Accommodations for more information.)

## **Medical Emergency**

An injured student whose injury is not serious enough to warrant non-participation should receive appropriate accommodations that enable the student to participate in the online test. Some examples of medical emergencies and appropriate accommodations follow:

- Broken arm—use a scribe
- Broken eyeglasses—use a reader and scribe
- Leg in traction without sedating/sedative medication—give test at home or in hospital See <u>TestNav 8 User's Guide</u> for technology requirements (use proctor caching with district's discretion)

To document a medical emergency, the BAC must do the following:

- Notify the DAC as situations occur.
- Complete a Medical Emergency Form located on the Forms page on KDE's website.
- May annotate in SDRR, stating that an accommodation was used due to an injury or medical condition.

## **English Learners (ELs)**

English Learners (ELs) must be included on student rosters and must participate in the K-PREP if they were enrolled on the first day of the testing window. The means and the degree of participation are determined by the length of time these students have been enrolled in U.S. schools.

- EL students who are in their first year in U.S. schools are required to attempt an English Language Proficiency (ELP) test (in grades K through 12) and take the K-PREP mathematics (10) and science (11) assessments for participation. For participation at grades 10 and 11, EL students must answer a minimum of four multiple choice questions or one constructed response question on any part of the mathematics and science tests.
- EL students who are in their **second year** or later of enrollment in U.S. schools shall participate in all K-PREP content areas and be included in reporting.

More information about English Learner (EL) testing is included in the DAC/BAC manual. For questions about EL testing, see your BAC or DAC.

## **Alternate Testing Settings**

## Students Receiving Home/Hospital Instruction

Students enrolled in the district who are taught at home or in a hospital setting will participate online in the K-PREP assessment. Therefore, instructors of home/hospital students must be notified, trained and supplied with the necessary materials in time to test these students within the testing window. If there is a situation that the student will need to be tested after normal testing time, 7 am - 5 pm EST, contact OAA for approval for evening testing window.

See <u>TestNav 8 User's Guide</u> for technology requirements (*use proctor caching with district's discretion*)

However, if a student's illness or injury is such that participation in the assessment would pose a threat to the student's well-being, a medical non-participation may be requested for the student. See Medical Non-Participation below for more information regarding the steps involved in ensuring a student who qualifies for a medical non-participation is accounted for accordingly.

#### Students Not Tested

Schools should keep a record of students not testing and why at the school/district level. All documentation (non-participation, etc.) is maintained at the school/district.

A student will not participate in the K-PREP online tests if he or she:

- Participates in the Kentucky Alternate Assessment
- ➤ Is expelled and not receiving services as provided for in KRS 158.150(2)
- Is medically unable to take the assessment
- Moved out of Kentucky public schools during the testing window
- Is in a situation allowing him or her to qualify for an extraordinary circumstance non-participation

Be sure to **inform your BAC** if you have students who meet the requirements in this section and should not be tested.

**Note:** Submission of the non-participation request does not guarantee approval. Do not wait to receive approval from KDE to indicate non-participation in SDRR, pending approval of non-participation requests. Paper Student Response Booklets used with accommodated kits should not be returned if a non-participation request has been approved in SDRR, except for first year ELs.

## Students Participating in the Kentucky Alternate Assessment

Students who meet the Kentucky Alternate Assessment participation guidelines will **not** take part in the K-PREP online test.

## **Medical Non-Participation**

A student's handicapping condition cannot be the basis for a medical non-participation. However, if a student is so ill or medically fragile that he or she is unable to complete the K-PREP test, even in a homebound situation with accommodations provided, a school may choose to request a medical non-participation for the student. If you are unsure whether a student qualifies for a medical non-participation, please contact the BAC or DAC. The Medical Non-Participation Form can be found on KDE's website.

## **Extraordinary Circumstance Non-Participation**

Students may qualify for an extraordinary circumstance non-participation if they:

- Should not be tested for any reason not already listed in this section, and
- Do not qualify for a medical non-participation.

Examples of extraordinary circumstances include the following:

- Parental kidnapping
- Child in protective custody
- Traumatic event
- Death of immediate family member

The Extraordinary Circumstance Non-Participation Form can be found on KDE's website.

## Non-Participation Checklist

- ➤ Notify the BAC and/or DAC before any non-participation requests are made.
- Complete the appropriate non-participation form (Medical or Extraordinary Circumstance); collect signatures from the student's doctor (if necessary), parent or guardian, and DAC (keep on file in the district).
- Upload the document (medical and extraordinary circumstance non-participation) in SDRR.
- Add any additional information to SDRR from the school's perspective if necessary.

## **Part 3: Accommodations**

## **Students With Disabilities Using Accommodations**

Accommodations are intended to provide support for students during instruction to access and learn content as well as to demonstrate content knowledge during assessment.

Accommodations shall be individualized and specifically designed to aid the student as the student learns, being faded or reduced as the student gains/demonstrates increased skill and confidence and moves toward greater independence. Accommodations shall not inappropriately impact the content being measured. In all components of the state-required assessment, a student shall be the sole creator, author, decision-maker, and owner of his/her own work.

With very few exceptions, all students in grades 3 through 8, 10 and 11 will participate in the K-PREP. Students may be provided with assessment accommodations, based on evaluation data, if the following criteria are met:

- ➤ The accommodations must be identified in the student's current IEP, 504 Plan or PSP.
- ➤ The student must have routinely received the accommodation throughout the year during classroom instruction. Accommodations should not be added for the sole purpose of use on state-required assessments.
- ➤ The accommodations shall not impact the content validity being measured.
- All accommodations shall be provided in accordance with regulation 703 KAR 5:070 as outlined by a student's placement team or Admissions and Release Committee (ARC), unless the student specifically refuses such accommodations.

Many accommodations used in the instructional program for students with disabilities are permitted for testing if they do not give the student an unfair advantage. For example, if a student normally wears noise buffers while working, this accommodation can be used during testing.

Occasionally, noncertified staff members or volunteers provide accommodations for students. Please note that such people should receive thorough training and are required to sign the nondisclosure form found on KDE's website.

Training must include two regulations, 703 KAR 5:070—Inclusion of Special Populations in the State-Required Assessment and Accountability Programs and 703 KAR 5:080—Administration Code for Kentucky's Educational Assessment Programs. Assessment regulations and training materials are located on KDE's website.

Specific accommodations used for assessments are maintained in the student's IEP, 504 Plan or PSP. In SDRR, districts will mark Yes or No for students who have accommodations listed on their IEP or PSP. 504 accommodations can be annotated in SDRR but is optional.

Authorized school personnel must also update the student's information in Infinite Campus (IC) to indicate the accommodations the education team found the student was qualified to use on state assessments. There are a variety of assessment accommodations that may be used for students with disabilities on the online assessment, including the following:

- Human Reader
- > Scribe
- Manipulatives
- ➤ Hand-held Calculator-- Only students that receive specific accommodations or accommodated kits can use a hand-held calculator. If a student is taking the test using a Braille, Audio CD/Flash Drive, Large-Print or Text Reader kit, then the student can use a calculator from the approved KDE calculator policy on page 11.
- Extended Time
- Paraphrasing (Directions only)
- Reinforcement and behavior modification strategies
- > Interpreters for students with deafness or hearing impairment (signing)
- Simplified language support for ELs (Directions only)
- Bilingual/English dictionary
- Oral native language support for ELs

The following information summarizes how to specifically administer accommodations. Test administrators providing accommodations must have completed training on 703 KAR 5:070. Accommodations shall not be designed or provided solely for the K-PREP test, or to lead a student to any specific answer. Specific accommodations used for tests are maintained in the student's IEP, 504 Plan or PSP.

#### **Human Reader**

The use of a reader (human) is allowed on all sections of the K-PREP Online Test. The use of a reader shall not in any way lead the student to the correct answer. A human reader shall read in a manner consistent with the accommodations described in the student's current IEP, 504 Plan or PSP.

The role of the reader during the online test is to:

- Read directions, prompts, situations, passages and stories as provided online;
- Not use or provide additional information or directions that may lead the student to specific information needed to answer the question;
- Re-read the directions, prompts, situations, passages and stories only if specifically requested by the student;
- Not point out parts of the task, questions or parts skipped by the student; and
- > Read individual words or abbreviations that are mispronounced by text or screen readers, if specifically requested by the student.

#### **Scribe**

A scribe's role shall be to type the student's responses in the online space provided. Students with a scribe requiring an accommodated kit will have their responses recorded in a paper SRB. This will reflect what the student knows and is able to do while providing the student with an alternative means to express his or her thoughts and knowledge. At no time shall a student's ideas, revisions or editing be characterized as teacher authored. In all components of the test, a

student shall be the sole creator, author, decision maker, and owner of his or her work. A scribe shall type or write student responses in a manner consistent with the accommodations described in the student's current IEP, 504 Plan or PSP.

The role of the scribe during the K-PREP is to:

- Type online what the student dictates word for word;
- Format, capitalize and punctuate the student's writing as directed by the student;
- Not alter, edit or revise a student's own ideas, revisions or edits.

#### **Manipulatives**

Manipulatives shall be available for student use to complete the K-PREP tests, if they are a strategy used by the student to solve problems routinely during instruction, and the use of manipulatives is described in the student's IEP or 504 Plan. Manipulatives cannot be placed on a student's desk, but instead should be located in a place in which the student can access them when needed. The use of a manipulative shall in no way lead the student to the correct answer.

#### **Hand-Held Calculator**

Students receiving Braille, Large Print, Audio CD/Flash Drive or Text Reader kits must use a hand-held calculator on the approved calculator list (see calculator policy on page 11). Students taking the online test should use the online calculator provided, however some students may qualify for a hand-held calculator if they meet specific guidelines.

- > They must have use of a calculator and a mathematics deficiency noted on their IEP or 504 Plan.
- ➤ They must have received and consistently used the calculator as part of regular classroom instructions throughout the year. Like all other accommodations, a calculator cannot simply be a state testing accommodation.

If students meet the above conditions, they may use an approved hand-held calculator on the online version of the test. If a student needs a hand-held calculator that is not on the approved list, then you must contact the Office of Assessment and Accountability (OAA) for a waiver.

#### **Extended Time**

Extended time, for students with a current IEP, 504 Plan or PSP, shall be available to the student once standard test time has ended. Extended time will be given as long as the student is demonstrating on-task efforts which allow the student to make progress on completing his/her assessment responses. The school shall provide proper supervision to maintain an appropriate assessment atmosphere.

### Paraphrasing (directions only)

Students with a current IEP or 504 Plan can receive paraphrasing as an accommodation.

Paraphrasing during the state-required assessment shall be limited to the following:

- Breaking directions into parts or segments;
- Using similar words or phrases in directions; and
- Repeating or rephrasing directions.

Paraphrasing shall not include defining words or concepts, teaching vocabulary, or telling a student what to do first, second, etc.

#### Reinforcement and Behavior Modification Strategies

Reinforcement and behavior modification strategies are allowed on the state-required assessment when they are documented in a student's IEP or behavior intervention plan and are used on a routine basis during instruction.

#### Strategies may include:

- Verbal, tangible or tactile reinforcements for being on task
- Use of technology to focus attention or reduce stress
- > Testing in a separate location outside the regular classroom

#### **Interpreters for Students With Deafness or Hearing Impairment (Signing)**

The K-PREP may be signed (i.e., translated to the student using American Sign Language). Signing shall not be a replacement for technology or reading instruction. Interpreters shall not define words for students, provide content or teach vocabulary or concepts during the assessment.

Interpreters who are also scribes shall follow the policies on scribing outlined in 703 KAR 5:070—Inclusion of Special Populations in the State-Required Assessment and Accountability Programs document located on KDE's website, <a href="www.education.ky.gov">www.education.ky.gov</a>.

#### Use of Simplified Language for an EL Student (directions only)

Students receiving this accommodation must have a current PSP. Simplified language can ONLY be provided for directions and never on test content.

Simplified language and vocabulary shall not change the overall context of the test materials or the content but ensures that students understand how to take the test. Specific words may be exchanged, but words cannot be defined as part of simplifying language. Directions for test administration may be described using fewer complex words (i.e., the word "assessment" becomes "test") and sentence structure (i.e., break a sentence into smaller sections). It is considered best practice to use a word-to-word translation. Simplified language includes: breaking directions into parts or segments or using similar words or phrases that are easier for the student to understand.

#### **Oral Native Language Support for an EL Student**

Oral native language support shall be based on a student's individual language needs as documented in the PSP. This accommodation may range from assistance with specific vocabulary to a sight translation which means rendering online English test materials orally in the student's native language. The accommodation of oral native language support may include providing directions orally in a student's native language. The accommodation may also incorporate some simplification of language in the test administration directions.

#### **Bilingual or English Dictionaries**

Bilingual or English dictionaries can be in print or electronic versions for the EL student with a PSP. The dictionary should be a word-to-word translation without definitions. Be sure all extra Internet capabilities are turned off prior to the beginning of testing.

Note: Electronic dictionaries cannot run on the same computer as the one running TestNav.

#### **Accommodated Materials Ordering (kits, paper)**

Accommodated material orders will be collected via PearsonAccess<sup>next</sup> and will be shipped with the initial distribution of test materials.

The chart below provides information about the accommodated materials available and the Accommodated Materials section on the following page details the materials provided for accommodations.

Accommodation	Accommodated Material Types				
Required	Braille Large-Print Audio CD** Flash Drive Text Read				Text Reader*
Visual	Х	Х			X
Oral			Х	Χ	Х

<sup>\*</sup> The web-based text reader is available for PCs, Macs, iPads, and Chromebooks.

Students using the audio version of the test may use a computer with a CD-ROM and headphones that allow the student to hear but do not allow sound to escape into the testing room. If the student is using the CD as a read-aloud accommodation, a stand-alone CD player (one per student, with headphones) may be used.

**Notes:** It is strongly suggested that a backup computer or audio CD player be readily available in case of malfunction. Additional batteries or access to an electrical outlet may be necessary if using a standard audio CD player.

#### **Text Reader**

A web-based text reader accommodation is available for students in grades 10 and 11 with IEPs, 504 Plans or PSPs that qualifies a student to use a reader as an accommodation marked on their plan. Requests may be made during the Accommodated Materials ordering window. Text reader is an online reader but not an online test. The student must still answer in their SRB.

Note: Requests for text reader are made in PearsonAccess<sup>next</sup> during the Accommodated Materials ordering window. Text reader will have a kit like all other accommodated orders. The kit will include everything needed except the user name and password. The user name and password will be provided for each individual student directly to the DAC (will arrive within 2-3 days of the materials shipment).

<sup>\*\*</sup> Must use modern stand-alone CD players that support MP3 formatted files, PC or Mac with MP3 capability.

Grade 10 has separate kits for **both** Reading and Mathematics accommodated test material kits.

Accommodated	d Materials Shipment Box
Item	Item Notes
Braille Kit (for students who are visually impaired	➤ UEB Reading Braille test booklet
or blind)	➤ UEB or UEB Nemeth Mathematics Braille test booklet
Pearson will contact the DAC for version of Braille needed.	<ul> <li>Reading Student Test Booklet (regular print)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Mathematics Student Test Booklet (regular print)</li> </ul>
Based on the student's IEP, the DAC will order the Braille assessments. Unified English Braille	<ul> <li>Reading Student Response Booklet (regular print)</li> </ul>
(UEB) is used except for mathematics which is available in both UEB and UEB Nemeth.	<ul> <li>Mathematics Student Response Booklet (regular print)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Accommodation Kit Information Memo</li> </ul>
	> Test Administration Notes
Large-Print Kit	Each Large-Print Kit contains the following materials:
(for students who are visually impaired)	<ul><li>Reading Large-Print test booklet</li></ul>
	Mathematics Large-Print Test Booklets
	<ul><li>Reading Student Test Booklet (regular print)</li></ul>
	Mathematics Student Test Booklet (regular print)
	Reading Student Response Booklet (regular print)
	Mathematics Student Response Booklet (regular print)
	Accommodation Kit Information Memo
Audio CD (for students who require a read-aloud	Each Audio Kit contains the following materials:
accommodation)	➤ Reading Audio CD
	> Mathematics Audio CD
	Reading Test Booklet (regular print)
	Mathematics Test Booklet (regular print)
	<ul> <li>Reading Student Response Booklet (regular print)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Mathematics Student Response Booklet (regular print)</li> </ul>
	> Accommodation Kit Information Memo
Audio Flash Drive	Each Flash Drive Kit contains the following materials:
(for students who require a read-aloud accommodation)	Reading Flash Drive
	Mathematics Flash Drive
	Reading Test Booklet (regular print)
	Mathematics Test Booklet (regular print)
	➤ Reading Student Response Booklet (regular print)
	Mathematics Student Response Booklet (regular print)
	> Accommodation Orders Information Memo

Text Reader Kit	Each Text Reader Kit contains the following:
	Reading Test Booklet (regular print)
	Mathematics Test Booklet (regular print)
	Reading Student Response Booklet (regular print)
	Mathematics Student Response Booklet (regular print)
	➤ Lexiflow User Guide
	Accommodation Kit Information Memo

Grade 11 has separate kits for **both** Science and On-Demand Writing accommodated test material kits.

Accommodated Materials Shipment Box				
Item	Item Notes			
Braille Kit (for students who are visually impaired	➤ UEB On-Demand Writing Braille Test Booklet			
or blind)	UEB or Nemeth Science Braille Test Booklet			
Degree will contact the DAC for version of	UEB Writer's Reference Sheet			
Pearson will contact the DAC for version of Braille needed.	Writer's Reference Sheet (regular print)			
Based on the student's IEP, the DAC will order	<ul> <li>On-Demand Writing Test Booklet (regular print)</li> </ul>			
and administer the Braille assessments in Unified English Braille (UEB).	<ul><li>Science Test Booklet (regular print)</li></ul>			
3 (1)	On-Demand Writing Student Response booklet			
	> Science Student Response Booklet			
	> Accommodation Kit Information Memo			
	> Test Administration Notes			
Large-Print Kit	Each Large-Print Kit contains the following materials:			
(for students who are visually impaired)	Large Print Writer's Reference Sheet			
	Writer's Reference Sheet (regular print)			
	➤ Large-print test booklet			
	<ul> <li>On-Demand Writing Test Booklet (regular print)</li> </ul>			
	➤ Science Test Booklet (regular print)			
	<ul> <li>On-Demand Writing Student Response booklet</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>Science Student Response Booklet</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>Accommodation Kit Information Memo</li> </ul>			
Audio CD (for students who require a read-aloud accommodation)	Each Audio CD Kit contains the following materials:			
	Writer's Reference Sheet			
	On-Demand Writing Test Booklet			
	Science Test Booklet			
	On-Demand Writing Student Response booklet			
	Science Student Response Booklet			
	<ul> <li>Accommodation Kit Information Memo</li> </ul>			

Audio Flash Drive (for students who require a read-aloud	Each Audio Flash Drive Kit contains the following materials:			
accommodation)	> Science Test Booklet			
	On-Demand Writing Test Booklet			
	Writer's Reference Sheet			
	Science Student Response Booklet			
	On-Demand Writing Student Response Booklet			
	➤ Accommodation Orders Information Memo			
Text Reader Kit	Each Text Reader Kit contains the following:			
(for students who require a read-aloud accommodation)	On Demand Writing test booklet			
	➤ Science Test Booklet			
	On Demand Writing Student Response Booklet			
	> Science Student Response Booklet			
	➤ Lexiflow User Guide			
	Accommodation Kit Information Memo			

## **Part 4: Test Preparation**

### **General Instructions for Test Administration**

Tests are to be administered using standard testing procedures as outlined in this manual. It is very important that these procedures are followed and that any deviations from standard testing conditions are documented and reported to the BAC.

Prior to test administration, District Assessment Coordinators (DACs), Building Assessment Coordinators (BACs), Technology Coordinators (TCs), and Test Administrators (TAs) should review the technology infrastructure at their schools to ensure that networks meet security requirements.

## **Test Administration Dropdown on PAN**

Before beginning the grades 10 and 11 assessment, verify that the test administration on PAN (dropdown menu) reads Kentucky 2019-2020 K-PREP Spring 2020 Administration.

## **Scheduling Test Administrations**

Tests will be administered as determined by the DAC or BAC. The time used to administer a test is called a "testing administration." **The DAC or BAC will determine a schedule that works best for you and the students.** The Office of Assessment and Accountability (OAA) is allowing flexible scheduling of test administrations.

#### Test Scheduling Option By Content Area

- Reading
- Mathematics
- Social Studies
- Science
- On-Demand Writing

## **New Students to District**

New students to the district will need to be added to PAN, complete directions are in the 2020 K-PREP DAC/BAC Manual.

## **Student Transfers**

Step by step instructions for transferring students from another Kentucky district will be in the 2020 K-PREP DAC/BAC manual.

#### **Breaks**

Test administrators must stop at the end of each part of the tested content area for a break. Breaks may be short (i.e., stand and stretch) or long (i.e., lunch) with appropriate monitoring.

## **Makeup Tests**

Test administrators should be advised to keep a list of students who are absent during the regularly scheduled testing so that makeup sessions can be scheduled. Each BAC should schedule makeup testing sessions for students who are absent during the initial testing.

If a student is absent from the original session and will do makeup testing, schools have two options:

- 1. Move the student from the original session to a makeup test session that is created the same way as other sessions.
- 2. Keep the absent student in the original session, leave the session open and test the student when he/she returns. As a reminder, test sessions cannot be stopped unless all students are in a Completed or Marked Complete Status.

Makeup testing is allowed during the five-day test schedule, and up to four additional days after testing has been completed. These days may be used for makeup testing while paper test materials are prepared for shipping.

## **Testing Window Extensions**

The K-PREP must be administered during the testing window. No testing window extensions or modifications will be granted, except in cases of natural disaster or extraordinary circumstances beyond the control of the school/district. All test extensions must be approved by the Kentucky Department of Education (KDE), Office of Assessment and Accountability (OAA). To inquire about a test extension, contact KDE at (502) 564-4394. If approved, KDE will then inform Pearson.

Due to technical issues, if high schools are unable to complete operational assessments (reading, mathematics, science, and on-demand writing) in five days, please contact the Division of Assessment and Accountability Support (DAAS) at 502-564-4394.

## **Advance Announcement**

Testing dates should be made known to parents and students in advance to ensure that students are well rested on test days. An announcement of testing dates and a reminder before the first day of testing are suggested.

## **Content Areas Tested**

Reading and Mathematics are administered at grade 10, and Science and On-Demand Writing are administered at grade 11.

## **Online Test Forms**

Test forms define the contents of online tests. A test form is a collection of test questions grouped together to measure a student's understanding of a subject. For the Grade 10 assessment both reading and mathematics will have one form; for Grade 11, there are four forms for science, and one form for on-demand writing.

## **Seal Code**

A seal code is a unique four-digit number used to allow students to access a section of the online assessment. The need for a seal code prevents the student from going on to the next

portion of the test. There will be seal codes used for all reading, mathematics, science and ondemand writing online tests. There will be two seal codes for each content test (Part A and Part B).

## **Allowed Testing Time and Test Detail**

The following charts provides the order of K-PREP testing for grades 10 and 11 and the completion times for each part of the test. Each part is a separately timed test session. These times must be followed unless all students complete a test session early. If all students complete a test session early, return to regular classroom instruction. Extended time is allowed only for students with an approved IEP, 504 Plan or PSP.

Each test part must be administered in a separate test session. The test window is five consecutive days. Content area tests may be divided across one or two days.

## 2020 K-PREP Online Grades 10 and 11 Number of Items and Test Times

#### Grade 10

		No. of Psg	No. of	No. of	No. of	Time in
Dooding			MC	SA	ER	Minutes
Reading	Part A	3	17	2	0	75
	Part B	5	27	0	1	100

Mathematics		No. of MC	No. of ER	Time in Minutes
	Part A (no Cal)	8	0	15
	Part B	37	3	110

#### Grade 11

Science		# Clusters	No. of MC	No. of MS	No. of ER	Time in Minutes
	Part A	2	12	2	2	60
	Part B	2	12	2	2	60

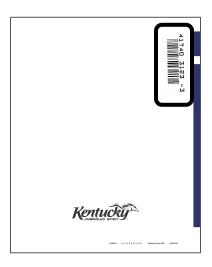
On-Demand Writing		No. of Stand Alone	No. of Passage Based	Time in Minutes
	Part A	1	0	40
	Part B	0	1	90

Psg = Passage, MC = Multiple Choice, MS = Multiple Select, SA = Short Answer, ER = Extended Response

Time is designated in minutes.

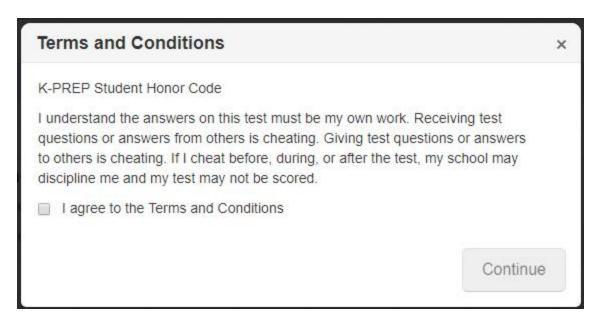
## Test Booklet Security Barcode Number (paper-based)

As illustrated in the following figure, each test booklet has a unique barcode, also known as a security barcode number, located in the upper right corner of the back cover of the test booklet. Using this barcode, test booklets are assigned to specific schools. This provides an accurate means of tracking secure test booklets that are shipped to and returned from schools. The test booklets are included in the accommodated kits only.



### **Student Honor Code Online**

After students log in to TestNav 8 and begin the test, they will be asked to read and accept the honor code. They will not be able to test without accepting the honor code. This process is one of the critical pieces of test security that was added to monitor appropriate administration of the K-PREP test. Students should be reminded of the importance of doing their own work and always putting forth their best effort.



## **Student Honor Code Accommodated Kits Only**

For students requiring an accommodated kit, a student honor code has been printed on the back page of the SRB. This process is one of the critical pieces of test security that was added to monitor appropriate administration of state-required tests. Students should be reminded of the importance of doing their own work and always putting forth their best effort. Test administrators are to read aloud the student honor code and have students sign the honor code prior to the onset of testing. If the student refuses to sign the honor code, testing should move forward.

#### K-PREP Student Honor Code

I understand the answers on this test must be my own work. Receiving test questions or answers from others is cheating. Giving test questions or answers to others is cheating. If I cheat before, during, or after the test, my school may discipline me and my test may not be scored.

Student Signature

## Serial Number (paper-based)

For students requiring an accommodated kit, a unique seven-digit number is used to track a student to a student response booklet. The serial number is located on the front page of the student response booklet. This number should be documented for newly enrolled students, students missing a pre-printed student response booklet or if a new student response booklet is used to replace one that has been damaged.

## **Seating Charts**

Seating charts, for both groups and individuals, are required for all state-required test administrations, reflecting students and adults in the testing room. The DAC will collect and maintain. Examples are provided on the Forms page on the KDE website.

## Preparing for Irregularities during Testing

#### **Interruptions During Testing**

Circumstances over which you have no control (e.g., fire alarms or power outages) may interrupt testing. If testing is interrupted and time permits, note the amount of remaining time, secure test materials and secure the room. When normal conditions are restored, the proctor will need to resume all tests in PAN (see note below). Interruptions should not reduce the total amount of time students are given to complete the test. Instructions for exiting the online test is on page 39 and resuming the online test is on page 40.

Note: To maintain system security, PAN times out after 15 minutes of test session management inactivity. Once the class has resumed, if you have timed out, you will need to sign back into PAN to resume the students' tests and continue monitoring the test session.

Should interruptions occur, document the occurrence and notify your BAC immediately. All documentation should be forwarded to your DAC and kept on file in the district office.

## **Test Materials Needed for Online Testing**

The BAC will distribute test materials needed to administer the online test to the test administrator.

- > Test Session Roster
- Student Testing Tickets
- Seal codes
- ➤ Dictionary (Student should use the online dictionary available in Test Nav for on-demand writing only. In the unlikely event that the online dictionary is not available, have a few paper copies in the testing room.)
- > Thesaurus (Student should use the online thesaurus available in Test Nav for ondemand writing only. In the unlikely event that the online thesaurus is not available, have a few paper copies in the testing room.)
- > Scratch paper (Testing tip: Student testing tickets may be printed one per page with the remaining sheet of paper available for use as scratch paper.)
- > Pen/Pencil for use with scratch paper

Be sure to count the number of test tickets you receive from the BAC and ensure that you have a test ticket for each student listed on each session roster. Remember that the test tickets are considered secure test materials.

#### Student Work Area

Ensure that all desks/workstations are clear of books and other materials not needed for the online test. Have students place book bags and other materials away from the desks/workstations. **Ensure that students have no access to cell phones, electronic devices, or other unauthorized materials during testing.** 

# **Part 5: Test Administration**

# Preparations in PearsonAccess<sup>next</sup>

Before beginning the grades 10 and 11 assessment verify that the drop-down test administration on PAN reads Kentucky 2019-2020 K-PREP Spring 2020 Administration.

If managing test sessions in PAN, complete the following steps. Test session set up and proctor caching needs to be completed before the start of the test window.

- Ensure you have a username and password for PAN.
- Print student testing tickets, seal codes and sessions rosters, if not provided by the DAC or BAC.
  - For detailed instructions on printing student testing tickets, seal codes and session rosters, refer to the <u>PAN User Guide</u>.
- Add new students to the district to PAN. If the student moves from another state add as a new student.
  - If the student moves from another Kentucky district, step by step instructions are
    provided in the K-PREP DAC/BAC manual. Both DACs and BACs will be responsible
    for submitting an Enrollment Transfer in PAN before testing begins.

# **Testing Day**

# **Prior to Testing and Before Students Arrive**

- > Read and Review the scripts that you will read to students during testing.
- > Received Administration Code and Inclusion of Special Populations training prior to test administration.
- Confirm that you have testing tickets, seal code(s) and all necessary materials needed to administer the online tests.
  - Each student must have a student test ticket in order to log in to a test. Student
    testing tickets contain a unique username and password needed to log in. The
    BAC should provide testing tickets for all students in the session. If you do not
    have a test ticket for a student, please see your BAC.
  - The test tickets can be printed any time before students in the session log in to the test. The test tickets are secure and must be kept in a secure location until the test is administered and must be returned to the BAC after the test session is over.
  - Seal codes will be provided when test tickets are printed.
- Post a "TESTING—PLEASE DO NOT DISTURB" sign on the classroom door.
- Be sure that all students have comfortable and adequate work spaces.
- Start the test session in PAN, if not completed by the DAC or BAC. Test sessions should not be started until the first day of testing.
- ➤ If managing test sessions in PAN, verify all students who will be testing are in the test session.

Ensure that student computers/devices are turned on and have no additional software running.

# Starting Testing Session and Student Sign In

- Access TestNav 8 on each student testing device, depending on device and DAC/BAC procedures for student login. (Students may complete this step themselves).
  - For installable TestNav 8:
    - On tablets: Students select the TestNav 8 icon on Home screen. All applications are locked while TestNav 8 is in use.
    - On Chromebooks: Students select the TestNav 8 app from the Apps menu on the lower left side of the screen (app provided; no log in).
    - On desktops or laptops: Students select the TestNav 8 icon on the desktop screen of the desktop or laptop.
- > Instruct students to clear their desks of books and other materials not needed for the test.
- > Students need to be provided student testing tickets, scratch paper, and pens/pencils. Students must verify their names on the top of their testing tickets.
- Write the seal code on the board for the students before testing. There will be two seal codes for each content (reading, mathematics, science and on-demand writing) being tested.
- > Students must write their names on the scratch paper. All material will need to be turned in at the end of the test session. (*Testing Tip*: Students may use their testing ticket for scratch paper. The student testing ticket is considered secure material and should be maintained in a secure location until securely destroying after testing.)

# **During Testing**

- Maintain test security.
- Write the allowed time for the test in a classroom area where all students can see it. Be sure to write both the start and end times. Testing times are listed within the scripts and on page 33.
- ➤ Be available to answer technology questions as necessary. Test administrators must not provide evaluative comments during the test administration.
- Monitor testing by walking around the test environment during testing.
- > Notify your BAC of any testing irregularity as soon as possible.
- Reminders may be given to entire class when 15-minutes and 5-minutes time intervals remain. Countdown timers are allowed if they make no noise.

# **Monitoring the Online Test Session**

- Active Monitoring: Actively monitor students throughout the entire test administration by circulating around the room to carefully observe student behavior and ensure that students are working independently and making progress in the online administration. You cannot complete other tasks, including lesson planning, grading papers or talking casually with other staff. If space is limited and students can potentially see other screens, your active monitoring must be heightened.
- Monitoring Progress in PAN. If monitoring student progress in PAN, on the Students in Sessions screen, monitor the Student Test Status column. Refresh your browser window or select the Refresh button.
  - If students in different test sessions are testing in the same room, you can
    monitor testing for multiple test sessions simultaneously in PAN. Add the relevant
    test sessions to the Session List and select Combined View in the Session List
    to see the testing status of all students in the sessions in one screen.
  - To check the status of a specific student, find the student's name in the test session. View his or her status in the **Student Test Status** column. Select the student's status to view detailed information about the student's test and item progress.

Refer to the table below for a complete list and explanations of student statuses.

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Status	Explanation			
Ready	The student has not yet started the test			
Active	The student has signed in and started the test			
Exited	The student has exited TestNav 8 but has not submitted test responses			
Resumed	The student's test has been resumed, but the student has not yet signed in Resumed-Upload status forces TestNav 8 to check for a saved response file (SRF) on the testing machine when the student signs back in to continue.			
Complete	The test has been submitted by the student through TestNav 8 and the data has been processed			
Marked Complete	The student's test has been marked complete by the DAC and the student will not finish testing.			

**NOTE**: To maintain system security, PAN times out after 15 minutes of test session management inactivity. If you have been timed out, you will need to sign back into PAN to resume monitoring the test session.

**NOTE**: Recommend that schools have technology personnel available in the building to assist with any technology issues that should arise during the test administration.

## **Exiting or Submitting the Test Temporarily**

If a student needs to exit TestNav 8 temporarily (for example, to take a break) before finishing the test, complete the following steps:

- 1. Click the user dropdown menu in the upper right corner of the screen next to the student's name.
- 2. Select "Sign out of TestNav 8" and then click the Save and Return Later button.

Exiting TestNav 8 does not send students' tests to completion. Exiting the test is for student breaks or if a student must be moved to another location. If the student inadvertently chooses the **Submit Final Answers** button, contact your BAC.

# **Resuming the Test**

If a student exits TestNav 8 (either unintentionally or intentionally) before completing the test, then the student's test must be resumed by the test administrator before the student can continue with the same test. Note: only students in "Active" or "Exited" status can be resumed.

There are two ways to resume student tests in PAN:

- To resume an individual student's test, in the Student Test Status column, select the
  dropdown menu next to the student's status and select either Resume or Resume
  Upload (only one option will display, and the displayed option depends on how the
  student exited the test.)
- To resume all students, select the checkbox at the top on the left or the checkboxes next
  to individual students. Then select the dropdown menu next to the **Start** button and
  select **Student Test Statuses**. If not already on the Resume Student Tests screen,
  select the **Resume Student Tests** tab at the top. Select the checkbox at the top on the
  left or next to the student name(s) in the list to confirm your selection(s) and select **Resume**.

The student can now sign in to TestNav 8 with the same student testing ticket previously used.

# **Submitting Test**

Students must submit answers for their tests to be completed. Students must click the **Submit Final Answers** button to send students' tests for completion. After all students have completed the test and submitted their responses, you should stop the session.

To stop a test session, complete the following steps:

- 1. Ensure that each student's status is "Completed" or "Marked Complete" on the Students in Sessions screen.
- 2. Click the **Stop** button to stop the test session.

## **After Testing**

- Stop the test session.
- Collect secure test tickets and return to BAC for destruction after testing.
- > Collect scratch paper and return to BAC for destruction after testing.

# Part 6: Scripts

## Administering the Online Test by Content Area

- Content area assessments for Grades 10 and 11 must be administered in order. Grade 10 must be administered in order of reading, then mathematics. Grade 11 must be administered in order of science, then on-demand writing.
- Confirm that all testing devices are turned on and the TestNav 8 Sign In screen for Kentucky is available.
- Provide each student with his or her own Student Testing Ticket, scratch paper, and pen/pencil.
- > The Seal Codes, per part, should be written on the board for the content area the students are testing; there will be two seal codes for each content being tested.
- Complete seating chart for each test.

# **Grade 10 Reading**

## Reading: Part A

The table below shows the time allowed.

Content Area	Passages	Multiple- Choice	Short- Answer	Extended- Response	Testing Time	
Reading	3	17	2	0	Allowed	75 minutes

#### 1. Say to the students:

We will now begin the Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) test for Reading, Part A. Some of the questions may be difficult to answer, but it is important that you do your best. If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it.

I am going to give each of you your Student Testing Ticket and scratch paper. Please verify your name is on the Student Testing Ticket and write your name on the scratch paper (if not using student testing ticket as scratch paper). If it is not your name on the ticket, please raise your hand. Do not attempt to log in with someone else's testing ticket information.

Note: Seal codes are required for online testing; reading will require two seal codes. Seal codes are provided when the Student Testing Ticket is printed. Write the seal code for Part A on the board for the students before testing.

2. Distribute Student Testing Tickets, scratch paper, and pen/pencil.

### Say to the students:

Select the TestNav 8 app on your testing device – the TestNav 8 Sign In box will appear on your screen. If your screen does not indicate TestNav for Kentucky, click the arrow on the profile icon in the upper right corner of the screen. "Select "Choose a different customer". From the list of states select "Kentucky".

[Pause while students launch the TestNav 8 app]

Using the information on your Student Testing Ticket, enter your username and password into the Sign In screen exactly as they appear on your test ticket.

[Pause while students sign into TestNav 8.]

Then select the Sign in button.

Your screen should say 'Welcome' and list your name and the test you are about to take.

[Pause while students verify their name on the Welcome screen.]

#### 3. Say to the students:

#### Select the Start button.

[Pause while students access the next screen.]

Your online test contains a Student Honor Code, which reminds you to act honestly before, during and after testing. Test administrators are also required to sign a form stating that we will act in an honest and professional manner. Follow along silently as I read aloud the Kentucky Student Honor Code:

I understand the answers on this test must be my own work. Receiving test questions or answers from others is cheating. Giving test questions or answers to others is cheating. If I cheat before, during or after the test, my school may discipline me, and my test may not be scored.

Check the 'Terms and Conditions' checkbox, indicating you have read and accept the conditions of this code and click continue.

[Pause and make sure all students are following this step.]

On the screen is a box with the words;

Part A

19 Questions

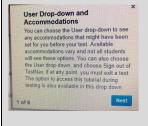
On the screen is a box with the words, "Enter Seal Code." Do not enter the seal code or select the Start button until told to do so.

4. Once students have signed into TestNav 8 and checked the box for the Student Honor Code, proceed with the test.

Note: Students will not be able to proceed with testing, unless they check the Student Honor Code box.

#### 5. Say to the students:

Once you log in to the test there will be a User Dropdown tutorial that indicates different tools/icons that are available within the test. You can scroll throughout the screens of the tutorial or "X" out of the screen:



The tools you can use for this test are on the toolbar at the top of your screen. You may use these tools to help answer the question. The Pointer Tool must be used to select your answers for all multiple-choice questions. For questions that are <u>not</u> multiple-choice, you must type your answer in the answer box. Your answer is not limited to the size of the answer box, a scroll bar will appear as you type your answer, extending the available space.

Navigation arrows appear at the top of the screen for each question. Selecting the Left Arrow takes you back to the previous screen and selecting the Right Arrow takes you to the next screen. If the arrow appears gray, you cannot go in that direction. Select the Right Arrow to view the next item.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Pause for questions.]

#### 6. Say to Students:

You will have 75 minutes to complete Part A of your test.

When you finish the last question of the test and select the Right Arrow button, the End of Part A screen will appear. This screen will show you the number of questions you have not answered. You may revisit these questions and complete any that you have not yet answered.



Be sure you are satisfied with your responses. Once you submit your test, you <u>cannot</u> go back to any of the questions. When you have finished your test, you may select the 'Submit Final Answers' button, to submit your answers. The Section Exit Warning screen will pop up. Select Yes, Submit Final Answer button to submit your test answers. When Part A is submitted, the Part B screen will appear.

When you finish, please sit quietly until everyone is finished.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Pause for questions.]

The seal code for reading Part A is \_\_\_\_. You may enter it now and select Start to begin your test.

7. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to view.

After 75 minutes, say to the students:

This completes Part A of your test. Once answers are submitted, the Part B screen is going to appear. At this point, students will either need to enter the seal code for Part B or sign out in the top right corner (profile icon).

It will be to the discretion of the test administrator/proctor if there will be a short break between Part A and Part B and continue and finish both sections of reading, if so, continue to #8. If stopping between the content parts follow the directions below, if continuing take a short break and continue to Part B.

8. Collect all test materials (Student Testing Ticket, scratch paper and pen/pencil), and return them to the BAC.

## Reading: Part B

The table below shows the time allowed.

Content Area	Passages	Multiple- Choice	Short- Answer	Extended- Response	Testing Time	
Reading	5	27	0	1	Allowed	100 minutes

1. Say to the students:

We will now begin the Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) test for Reading, Part B. Some of the questions may be difficult to answer, but it is important that you do your best. If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it.

(If continuing to test after Part A skip to #3, write the seal code for Part B on the board.)

I am going to give each of you your Student Testing Ticket and scratch paper. Please verify your name is on the Student Testing Ticket and write your name on the scratch paper (if not using student testing ticket as scratch paper). If it is not your name on the ticket, please raise your hand. Do not attempt to log in with someone else's testing ticket information.

Note: For the students to be able to continue testing Part B the DAC, BAC or Online Test Administrator will need to resume the students' test. The seal code for Part B will also need to be written on the board for the student to continue.

2. If taking Part B on another day, or later in the day, distribute Student Testing Tickets, scratch paper, and pen/pencil and continue to read the instructions below. If you are continuing to test after a break from Part A skip to #3 below.

Say to the students:

Select the TestNav 8 app on your testing device – the TestNav 8 Sign In box will appear on your screen.

[Pause while students launch the TestNav 8 app]

Using the information on your Student Testing Ticket, enter your username and password into the Sign In screen exactly as they appear on your test ticket.

[Pause while students sign into TestNav 8.]

Then select the Sign in button.

Your screen should say 'Welcome' and list your name and the test you are about to take.

[Pause while students verify their name on the Welcome screen.]

Click the start button.

On the screen is a box with the words, "Enter Seal Code." Do not enter the seal code or select the Start button until told to do so.

3. Say to the students:

You will have 100 minutes to complete your test.

When you finish the last question of the test and select the Right Arrow button, the End of Part B screen will appear. This screen will show you the number of questions you have not answered. You may revisit these questions and complete any that you have not yet answered.

Be sure you are satisfied with your responses. Once you submit your test, you <u>cannot</u> go back to any of the questions. When you have finished your test, you may select the 'Submit Final Answers' button, to submit your answers. The Test Submit Warning screen will pop up. Select Yes, Submit Final Answer button to submit your test answers. When your test is submitted, the following screen appears with the message, "Sign out complete. Thank you for using TestNav 8."

When you finish, please sit quietly until everyone is finished.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Pause for questions.]

The seal code for reading Part B is \_\_\_\_. You may enter it now and select Start to begin your test.

4. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to view.

After 100 minutes, say to the students:

This completes your test. If you have not done so, please submit your test answers.

5. Collect all test materials (Student Testing Ticket, scratch paper and pen/pencil), and return them to the BAC.

## **Grade 10 Mathematics**

## Mathematics: Part A (No calculators permitted on Mathematics Part A)

The table below shows the time allowed for both Part A.

Content Area	Multiple- Choice	Extended- Response	Testing Times	
Mathematics Part A (no calculator allowed)	8	0	Allowed	15 minutes

#### 1. Say to the students:

We will now begin the Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) test for Mathematics, Part A. Some of the questions may be difficult to answer, but it is important that you do your best. If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it.

I am going to give each of you your Student Testing Ticket and scratch paper. Please verify your name is on the Student Testing Ticket and write your name on the scratch paper (if not using student testing ticket as scratch paper). If it is not your name on the ticket, please raise your hand. DO not attempt to log in with someone else's testing ticket information.

Note: Seal codes are required for online testing; mathematics will require two seal codes. Seal codes are provided when the Student Testing Ticket is printed. Write the seal code for Part A on the board for the students before testing.

2. Distribute Student Testing Tickets, scratch paper, and pen/pencil.

Say to the students:

Select the TestNav 8 app on your testing device – the TestNav 8 Sign In box will appear on your screen. If your screen does not indicate TestNav for Kentucky, click the arrow on the profile icon in the upper right corner of the screen. "Select "Choose a different customer". From the list of states select "Kentucky".

[Pause while students launch the TestNav 8 app]

Using the information on your Student Testing Ticket, enter your username and password into the Sign In screen exactly as they appear on your test ticket.

Then select the Sign In button.

[Pause while students sign into TestNav 8.]

Your screen should say 'Welcome' and list your name and the test you are about to take.

[Pause while students verify their name on the Welcome screen.]

3. Say to the students:

#### Select the Start button.

[Pause while students access the next screen.]

Your online test contains a Student Honor Code, which reminds you to act honestly before, during and after testing. Test administrators are also required to sign a form stating that we will act in an honest and professional manner. Follow along silently as I read aloud the Kentucky Student Honor Code:

I understand the answers on this test must be my own work. Receiving test questions or answers from others is cheating. Giving test questions or answers to others is cheating. If I cheat before, during or after the test, my school may discipline me, and my test may not be scored.

Check the 'Terms and Conditions' checkbox, indicating you have read and accept the conditions of this code and click continue.

[Pause and make sure all students are following this step.]

On the screen is a box with the words;

Part A

8 Questions

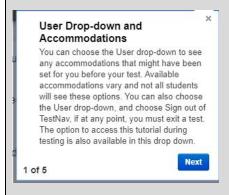
On the screen is a box with the words, "Enter Seal Code." Do not enter the seal code or select the Start button until told to do so.

4. Once students have signed into TestNav 8 and checked the box for the Student Honor Code, proceed with the test.

Note: Students will not be able to proceed with testing, unless they check the Student Honor Code box.

#### 5. Say to the students:

Once you log in to the test there will be a User Dropdown tutorial that indicates different tools/icons that are available within the test. You can scroll throughout the screens of the tutorial or "X" out of the screen:



The tools you can use for this test are on the toolbar at the top of your screen. You may use these tools to help determine the answer to the question. The Pointer Tool must be used to select your answers for all multiple-choice questions. For questions that are <u>not</u> multiple-choice you must type your answer in the answer box. Your answer is not limited to the size of the answer box, a scroll bar will appear as you type your answer, extending the available space.

Navigation arrows appear at the top of the screen or each question. Selecting the Left Arrow takes you back to the previous screen and selecting the Right Arrow takes you to the next screen. If the arrow appears gray, you cannot go in that direction. Select the Right Arrow to view the next item.

You will have 15 minutes to complete Part A of the test.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Pause for questions.]

6. Say to Students:

You will have 15 minutes to complete Part A of the test.

When you finish the last question of the test and select the Right Arrow button, the End of Part A screen will appear. This screen will show you the number of questions you have not answered. You may revisit these questions and complete any that you have not yet answered.

Be sure you are satisfied with your responses, once you submit your test, you <u>cannot</u> go back to any of the questions. When you have finished Part A, you may select the 'Submit Final Answers' button, to submit your answers. The Test Submit Warning screen will pop up, select Yes, to submit your test answers. When your test is submitted, the following screen appears with the message, "Sign out complete. Thank you for using TestNav 8."

When you finish, please sit quietly until everyone is finished.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Pause for questions.]

The seal code for mathematics Part A is \_\_\_\_. You may enter it now and select Start button to begin your test.

7. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.
When 10-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to view.

After 15 minutes, say to the students:

This completes Part A of your test. Once answers are submitted, the Part B screen is going to appear. At this point, students will either need to enter the seal code for Part B or sign out in the top right corner (profile icon).

It will be to the discretion of the test administrator/proctor if there will be a short break between Part A and Part B and continue and finish both sections of mathematics, if so, continue with #8. If stopping between the content parts follow the directions below, if continuing take a short break and continue to Part B.

8. Collect all test materials (Student Testing Ticket, scratch paper and pen/pencil), and return them to the BAC.

#### Mathematics: Part B

The table below shows the time allowed for Part B.

Content Area	Multiple- Choice	Extended- Response	Testing Times	
Mathematics Part B	37	3	Allowed	110 minutes

#### 1. Say to the students:

We will now begin the Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) test for Mathematics, Part B. Some of the questions may be difficult to answer, but it is important that you do your best. If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it.

(If continuing to test after Part A skip to #3, write the seal code for Part B on the board.)

I am going to give each of you your Student Testing Ticket and scratch paper. Please verify your name is on the Student Testing Ticket and write your name on the scratch paper (if not using student testing ticket as scratch paper). If it is not your name on the ticket, please raise your hand. DO not attempt to log in with someone else's testing ticket information.

Note: For the students to be able to continue testing Part B the DAC, BAC or Online Test Administrator will need to resume the students' test. The seal code for Part B will also need to be written on the board for the student to continue.

2. If taking Part B on another day, or later in the day, distribute Student Testing Tickets, scratch paper, and pen/pencil and continue to read the instructions below. If you are continuing to test after a break from Part A skip to #3 below.

#### Say to the students:

Select the TestNav 8 app on your testing device – the TestNav 8 Sign In box will appear on your screen.

[Pause while students launch the TestNav 8 app]

Using the information on your Student Testing Ticket, enter your username and password into the Sign In screen exactly as they appear on your test ticket.

Then select the Sign In button.

[Pause while students sign into TestNav 8.]

Your screen should say 'Welcome' and list your name and the test you are about to take.

[Pause while students verify their name on the Welcome screen.]

Click the start button.

On the screen is a box with the words, "Enter Seal Code." Do not enter the seal code or select the Start button until told to do so.

#### 3. Say to the students:

You will have 110 minutes to complete your test.

When you finish the last question of the test and select the Right Arrow button, the End of Part B screen will appear. This screen will show you the number of questions you have not answered. You may revisit these questions and complete any that you have not yet answered.

Be sure you are satisfied with your responses, once you submit your test, you <u>cannot</u> go back to any of the questions. When you have finished Part B, you may select the 'Submit Final Answers' button, to submit your answers. The Test Submit Warning screen will pop up, select Yes, to submit your test answers. When your test is submitted, the following screen appears with the message, "Sign out complete. Thank you for using TestNav 8." Does anyone have any questions?

[Pause for questions.]

The seal code for mathematics Part B is \_\_\_\_. You may enter it now and select Start to begin your test.

Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.
 When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to view.

After 110 minutes, say to the students:

This completes your test. If you have not done so, please submit your test answers.

5. Collect all test materials (Student Testing Ticket, scratch paper and pen/pencil), and return them to the BAC.

This is the end of the Grade 10 K-PREP test.

## Grade 11 Science

Science: Part A

The table below shows the time allowed.

Content Area	Clusters	Multiple- Choice	Multiple- Select	Extended- Response	Testing	j Time
Science	2	12	2	2	Allowed 60	minutes

#### 1. Say to the students:

You are now preparing to begin the Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) grade 11 Science test, Part A.

I am going to give each of you your Student Testing Ticket and scratch paper. Please verify your name is on the Student Testing Ticket and write your name on the scratch paper (if not using student testing ticket as scratch paper).

Note: Seal codes are required for online testing. Science will require 2 seal codes, one for Part A and one for Part B. Seal codes are provided when the Student Testing Ticket is printed. Write the seal code per section on the board for the students before testing.

2. Distribute Student Testing Tickets, scratch paper, and pen/pencil.

Say to the students:

Select the TestNav 8 app on your testing device – the TestNav 8 Sign In box will appear on your screen. If your screen does not indicate TestNav for Kentucky, click the arrow on the profile icon in the upper right corner of the screen. "Select "Choose a different customer". From the list of states select "Kentucky".

[Pause while students launch the TestNav 8 app]

Using the information on your Student Testing Ticket, enter your username and password into the Sign In screen exactly as they appear on your test ticket.

[Pause while students sign into TestNav 8.]

Your screen should say 'Welcome' and list your name and the test you are about to take.

[Pause while students verify their name on the Welcome screen.]

#### 3. Say to the students:

#### Select the Start button.

[Pause while students access the next screen.]

Your online test contains a Student Honor Code, which reminds you to act honestly before, during and after testing. Test administrators are also required to sign a form stating that we will act in an honest and professional manner. Follow along silently as I read aloud the Kentucky Student Honor Code:

I understand the answers on this test must be my own work. Receiving test questions or answers from others is cheating. Giving test questions or answers to others is cheating. If I cheat before, during or after the test, my school may discipline me.

It is very important that you realize that you should do your own work and try to the best of your ability, always putting forth your best effort.

Check the 'Terms and Conditions' checkbox, indicating you have read and accept the conditions of this code and click continue.

[Pause and make sure all students are following this step.]

On the screen is a box with the words, "Enter Seal Code." Do not enter the seal code or select the Start button until told to do so.

4. Once students have signed into TestNav 8 and checked the box for the Student Honor Code, proceed with the test.

Note: Students will not be able to proceed with testing, unless they check the Student Honor Code box.

5. Say to the students:

The tools you can use for this test are on the toolbar at the top of your screen. You may use these tools to help determine the answer to the question. The Pointer Tool must be used to select your answers for all multiple-choice and multiple select questions. For questions that are <u>not</u> multiple-choice or multiple select, you must <u>type</u> your answer in the answer box. Your answer is not limited to the size of the answer box, a scroll bar will appear as you type your answer, extending the available space.

Navigation arrows appear at the top of the screen or each question. Selecting the Left Arrow takes you back to the previous screen and selecting the Right Arrow takes you to the next screen. If the arrow appears gray, you cannot go in that direction. Select the Right Arrow to view the next item.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Pause for questions.]

6. Say to Students:

You will have 60 minutes to complete your test.

When you finish the last question of the test and select the Right Arrow button, the End of Part A screen will appear. This screen will show you the number of questions you have not answered. You may revisit these questions and complete any that you have not yet answered.

Be sure you are satisfied with your responses, once you submit your test, you <u>cannot</u> go back to any of the questions. When you have finished Part A, you may select the 'Submit' button, to submit your answers. The Test Submit Warning screen will pop up, select Yes, to submit your test answers.

When you finish, please sit quietly until everyone is finished.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Pause for questions.]

The seal code for science Part A is \_\_\_\_. You may enter it now and select Start to begin your test.

7. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to view.

After 60 minutes, say to the students:

This completes Part A of your test. Once answers are submitted, the Part B screen is going to appear. At this point, students will either need to enter the seal code for Part B or sign out in the top right corner (profile icon).

It will be to the discretion of the test administrator/proctor if there will be a short break between Part A and Part B and continue and finish both sections of science, if so, continue to #8. If stopping between the content parts follow the directions below, if continuing take a short break and continue to Part B.

8. Collect all test materials (Student Testing Ticket, scratch paper and pen/pencil), and return them to the BAC.

#### Science: Part B

The table below shows the time allowed.

Content Area	Clusters	Multiple- Choice	Multiple- Select	Extended- Response	Testing Time	
Science	2	12	2	2	Allowed	60 minutes

#### 1. Say to the students:

You are now preparing to begin the Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) grade 11 Science test, Part B.

(If continuing to test after Part A skip to #3, write the seal code for Part B on the board.)

I am going to give each of you your Student Testing Ticket and scratch paper. Please verify your name is on the Student Testing Ticket and write your name on the scratch paper (if not using student testing ticket as scratch paper). If it is not your name on the ticket, please raise your hand. DO not attempt to log in with someone else's testing ticket information.

Note: For the students to be able to continue testing Part B the DAC, BAC or Online Test Administrator will need to resume the students' test. The seal code for Part B will also need to be written on the board for the student to continue.

2. If taking Part B on another day, or later in the day, distribute Student Testing Tickets, scratch paper, and pen/pencil and continue to read the instructions below. If you are continuing to test after a break from Part A skip to #3 below.

#### Say to the students:

Select the TestNav 8 app on your testing device – the TestNav 8 Sign In box will appear on your screen.

[Pause while students launch the TestNav 8 app]

Using the information on your Student Testing Ticket, enter your username and password into the Sign In screen exactly as they appear on your test ticket.

[Pause while students sign into TestNav 8.]

Your screen should say 'Welcome' and list your name and the test you are about to take.

[Pause while students verify their name on the Welcome screen.]

Click the start button.

On the screen is a box with the words, "Enter Seal Code." Do not enter the seal code or select the Start button until told to do so.

#### 3. Say to the students:

You will have 60 minutes to complete your test.

When you finish the last question of the test and select the Right Arrow button, the End of Part B screen will appear. This screen will show you the number of questions you have not answered. You may revisit these questions and complete any that you have not yet answered.

Be sure you are satisfied with your responses, once you submit your test, you <u>cannot</u> go back to any of the questions. When you have finished Part B, you may select the 'Submit' button, to submit your answers. The Test Submit Warning screen will pop up, select Yes, to submit your test answers.

When you finish, please sit quietly until everyone is finished.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Pause for questions.]

The seal code for science Part B is \_\_\_\_. You may enter it now and select Start to begin your test.

4. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 15 minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to view.

After 60 minutes, say to the students:

This completes your test. If you have not done so, please submit your test answers.

5. Collect all test materials (Student Testing Ticket, scratch paper and pen/pencil), and return them to the BAC.

# **Grade 11 On-Demand Writing**

Writing: Part A

The table below shows the time allowed.

Content Area		Testing Time		
Writing	Part A (Stand Alone Prompt)	Allowed	40 minutes	

#### 1. Say to the students:

You are now preparing to begin the Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) grade 11 On-Demand Writing test, Part A.

I am going to give each of you your Student Testing Ticket and scratch paper. Please verify your name is on the Student Testing Ticket and write your name on the scratch paper (if not using student testing ticket as scratch paper). If it is not your name on the ticket, please raise your hand. DO not attempt to log in with someone else's testing ticket information.

Note: Seal codes are required for online testing. On-Demand writing will require two seal codes, one for Part A and one for Part B. Seal codes are provided when the Student Testing Ticket is printed. Write the seal code per section on the board for the students before testing.

Distribute Student Testing Tickets, scratch paper, and pen/pencil.

#### Say to the students:

Select the TestNav 8 app on your testing device – the TestNav 8 Sign In box will appear on your screen. If your screen does not indicate TestNav for Kentucky, click the arrow on the profile icon in the upper right corner of the screen. "Select "Choose a different customer". From the list of states select "Kentucky".

[Pause while students launch the TestNav 8 app]

Using the information on your Student Testing Ticket, enter your username and password into the Sign In screen exactly as they appear on your test ticket.

Then select the Sign In button.

[Pause while students sign into TestNav 8.]

Your screen should say 'Welcome' and list your name and the test you are about to take.

[Pause while students verify their name on the Welcome screen.]

#### 3. Say to the students:

#### Select the Start button.

[Pause while students access the next screen.]

Your online test contains a Student Honor Code, which reminds you to act honestly before, during and after testing. Test administrators are also required to sign a form stating that we will act in an honest and professional manner. Follow along silently as I read aloud the Kentucky Student Honor Code:

I understand the answers on this test must be my own work. Receiving test questions or answers from others is cheating. Giving test questions or answers to others is cheating. If I cheat before, during or after the test, my school may discipline me.

It is very important that you realize that you should do your own work and try to the best of your ability, always putting forth your best effort.

Check the 'Terms and Conditions' checkbox, indicating you have read and accept the conditions of this code and click continue.

[Pause and make sure all students are following this step.]

4. Once students have signed into TestNav 8 and checked the box for the Student Honor Code, proceed with the test.

Note: Students will not be able to proceed with testing, unless they check the Student Honor Code box.

#### Say to the students:

On the screen is a box with the words;

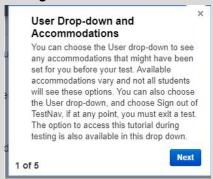
#### Part A

#### 4 Questions

The screen indicates that there will be four questions to the test, when in fact there will only be one question. Questions 1-3 are the Scoring Criteria for On-Demand Writing, Writer's Reference Sheet for Grade 11 and Directions, you may reference these pages at any time during the test.

On the screen is a box with the words, "Enter Seal Code." Enter the seal code and select the Start button.

Once you log in to the test there will be a User Drop-down tutorial to the right of the screen that indicates different tools/icons that are available within the test. You can scroll throughout the screens of the tutorial or "X" out of the screen:



The tools you can use for this test are on the toolbar at the top of your screen. You may use these tools to help determine the answer to the question. For answers for On-Demand Writing you must type your answer in the answer box. Your answer is not limited to the size of the answer box, a scroll bar will appear as you type your answer, extending the available space.

Navigation arrows appear at the top of the screen for each question. Selecting the Left Arrow takes you back to the previous screen and selecting the Right Arrow takes you to the next screen. If the arrow appears gray, you cannot go in that direction. Select the Right Arrow to view the next item.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Pause for questions.]

Read the item and passage(s) carefully before beginning. This is an individual activity; therefore, you are not allowed to work with or conference with anyone.

You will have 40 minutes for this task.

- Start by thinking about what you plan to write.
- Use the Writer's Reference Sheet in the exhibit, to aid in planning, revising, and editing your response.
- Review the rubric in the exhibit as these are the criteria that will be used to score your work.
- It is advisable to use the TestNav Notepad Tool and/or scratch paper provided for making notes and outlining your response.
- You may use a dictionary and/or thesaurus for this portion. It is available on the tool bar.
- Write your FINAL response in the text box to the right.

Note: The exhibits mentioned above is located to the right portion of the screen. When clicked the Scoring Criteria for On-Demand Writing and the Writer's Reference Guide for Grade 11 will appear in the box. You will have to choose which one you want to reference from the tab.



#### 5. Say to the students:

You will have 40 minutes to complete your test.

When you finish the test response and select the Right Arrow button, the End of Part A screen will appear. If time permits you may review your response if needed.

Be sure you are satisfied with your response, once you submit your test, you <u>cannot</u> go back. When you have finished your test, you may select the 'Submit Final Answers' button, to submit your response. The Test Submit Warning screen will pop up, select Yes, Submit Final Answer button to submit your test response. When your test is submitted, the following screen appears with the message, "Sign out complete. Thank you for using TestNav."

When you finish, please sit quietly until everyone is finished.

Does anyone have any questions? [Pause for questions.]

You may begin your test.

6. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to view.

After 40 minutes, say to the students:

This completes Part A of your test. Once answers are submitted, the Part B screen is going to appear. At this point, students will either need to enter the seal code for Part B or sign out in the top right corner (profile icon).

It will be to the discretion of the test administrator/proctor if there will be a short break between Part A and Part B and continue and finish both sections of on-demand writing, if so, continue with #7. If stopping between the content parts follow the directions below, if continuing take a short break and continue to Part B.

7. Collect all test materials (Student Testing Ticket, scratch paper and pen/pencil), and return them to the BAC.

#### Writing: Part B

The table below shows the time allowed.

	Content Area	Testing Time		
Writing	Part B (Passage based prompt)	Allowed	90 minutes	

1. Say to the students:

You are now preparing to begin the Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) grade 11 On-Demand Writing test, Part B.

(If continuing to test after Part A skip to #3, write the seal code for Part B on the board.)

I am going to give each of you your Student Testing Ticket and scratch paper. Please verify your name is on the Student Testing Ticket and write your name on the scratch paper (if not using student testing ticket as scratch paper). If it is not your name on the ticket, please raise your hand. Do not attempt to log in with someone else's testing ticket information.

Note: For the students to be able to continue testing Part B the DAC, BAC or Online Test Administrator will need to resume the students test. The seal code for Part B will also need to be written on the board for the student to continue.

2. If taking Part B on another day, or later in the day, distribute Student Testing Tickets, scratch paper, and pen/pencil and continue to read the instructions below. If you are continuing to test after a break from Part A skip to #3 below.

Say to the students:

Select the TestNav 8 app on your testing device – the TestNav 8 Sign In box will appear on your screen.

[Pause while students launch the TestNav 8 app]

Using the information on your Student Testing Ticket, enter your username and password into the Sign In screen exactly as they appear on your test ticket.

Then select the Sign In button.

[Pause while students sign into TestNav 8.]

Your screen should say 'Welcome' and list your name and the test you are about to take. [Pause while students verify their name on the Welcome screen.]

Click the start button.

On the screen is a box with the words, "Enter Seal Code." Do not enter the seal code or select the Start button until told to do so.

3. Say to the students:

On the screen is a box with the words;

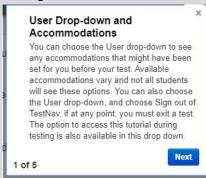
Part B

2 Questions

The screen indicates that there will be two questions to the test, when in fact there will only be one prompt. Question 1 is the Grade 11 Directions, you may reference this page at any time during the test.

On the screen is a box with the words, "Enter Seal Code." Enter the seal code and select the Start button.

Once you log in to the test there will be a User Drop-down tutorial to the right of the screen that indicates different tools/icons that are available within the test. You can scroll throughout the screens of the tutorial or "X" out of the screen:



The tools you can use for this test are on the toolbar at the top of your screen. You may use these tools to help determine the answer to the question. For answers for On-Demand Writing you must type your answer in the answer box. Your answer is not limited to the size of the answer box, a scroll bar will appear as you type your answer, extending the available space.

Navigation arrows appear at the top of the screen for each question. Selecting the Left Arrow takes you back to the previous screen and selecting the Right Arrow takes you to the next screen. If the arrow appears gray, you cannot go in that direction. Select the Right Arrow to view the next item.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Pause for questions.]

Read the item and passage(s) carefully before beginning. This is an individual activity; therefore, you are not allowed to work with or conference with anyone. You will have 90 minutes for this task.

- Start by thinking about what you plan to write.
- Use the Writer's Reference Sheet in the exhibit, to aid in planning, revising, and editing your response.
- Review the rubric in the exhibit as these are the criteria that will be used to score your work.
- It is advisable to use the TestNav Notepad Tool and/or scratch paper provided for making notes and outlining your response.
- You may use a dictionary and/or thesaurus for this portion. It is available on the tool bar.
- Write your FINAL response in the text box to the right.

Note: The exhibits mentioned above is located to the right portion of the screen. When clicked the Scoring Criteria for On-Demand Writing and the Writer's Reference Guide for Grade 11 will appear in the box. You will have to choose which one you want to reference from the tab.



4. Say to Students:

You will have 90 minutes to complete your test.

When you finish the test response and select the Right Arrow button, the End of Part B screen will appear. If time permits you may review your response if needed.

Be sure you are satisfied with your response, once you submit your test, you <u>cannot</u> go back. When you have finished your test, you may select the 'Submit Final Answers' button, to submit your response. The Test Submit Warning screen will pop up, select Yes, Submit Final Answer button to submit your test response. When your test is submitted, the following screen appears with the message, "Sign out complete. Thank you for using TestNav."

When you finish, please sit quietly until everyone is finished.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Pause for questions.]

You may begin your test.

5. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to view.

After 90 minutes, say to the students:

This completes your test. If you have not done so, please submit your test answers.

6. Collect all test materials (Student Testing Ticket, scratch paper and pen/pencil), and return them to the BAC.

This is the end of the Grade 11 online test.

# Scripts for Accommodated Kits (Paper-Based)

## **Overview**

This section includes instructions and scripts detailing the procedures to be followed for students receiving paper-based accommodated test kits (Braille, Large-Print, Audio CD/Audio Flash Drive, and Text Reader). To ensure a consistent and accurate test administration, instructions **must** be read aloud to students at the beginning of the test. The instruction scripts are printed in bold type and enclosed in boxes. Directions for test administrators are printed in italic type.

Note: Reminder to allow for students needing extended time when developing test schedule.

# Completing Student Information-Accommodated Materials (paper)—Grades 10 and 11

Estimated Time: 10 minutes

Instructions below are to be used for students that will use an accommodated test materials kit (Braille, Large Print, Audio CD/Audio Flash Drive or Text Reader) to test.

1. School and district name can be written on board for students to copy.

## 2. Say to the students:

You are now preparing to begin the Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) test. IMPORTANT: On the front cover of the <u>test booklet</u>, please print your name at the top of the page where it says, "Student Name." On the lines provided below your name, please write your school name and district. When you are finished, set your test booklet aside.

3. Student Response Booklets (SRBs) included in accommodated kits will not be pre-printed (SRBs will be blank and the demographic information must be completed).

#### Say to the students:

It is very important that you print the information correctly. Listen carefully as I read the instructions. Raise your hand if you have any questions. Mark only the spaces I tell you to mark. Do not make any stray marks on your student response booklet. If you make a mistake, erase your marks completely and then fill in the correct information. In Box 1, "Student Information," print your name, school and district name as done on the student test booklet earlier.

#### 4. Say to the students:

In Box 2, below "Student's Last Name" print the letters in your last name, starting in the first box on the left. Do not leave any spaces between the letters in your last name. Then print the letters in your first name and middle initial in the appropriate boxes. If your name is longer than the number of spaces given, print as many letters as you can.

[Pause.]

Now, under each letter you have written, fill in the bubble that contains the same letter. You should not fill in any bubbles under blank boxes.

When you have finished, check that the letters in your name have been bubbled correctly.

[Walk around to check that this is being done properly.]

Box 3 is labeled "Birth Date." Fill in the bubble next to the month in which you were born. In the boxes under "Day," write the two numbers for the date of the day you were born. If your birth date is a single number, put a zero in the first box and the number of your birth date in the second box. For example, if you were born on the 7th day of the month, you would enter zero in the first box and 7 in the second box under "Day." Under each number you have entered, fill in the bubble with the same number.

In the three boxes under "Year," write the first two digits of the year in which you were born in the first box.

[Pause.]

Then, in the second and third box, enter the last two digits of the year in which you were born. Under each number you have entered, fill in the bubble below with the same number.

Box 4 is labeled "Gender." Darken the bubble for either "Male" or "Female" to indicate your gender.

[Pause.]

Box 5 will be filled out by the test administrator after booklets are handed in.

It is up to the test administrator to make note of students that need to have the "ACCOMMODATED MATERIALS" bubble gridded in after testing.

Before reading the information below for Box 6 the Test Administrator must write the room number on the board for the subject being tested. This is a four-digit field. If the room number is less than four digits, place zeros in front of the room number to make it four digits long. For example, if the student is taking a Science test in Room 1, write Science on the board with the room number 0001 below it.

Box 6 is labeled "Room Number Where Student is Tested," Write the room number in the box for the subject being tested (Science or On-Demand Writing) and then grid the numbers accordingly below.

Make sure all students are following this step.

Box 7 is labeled "SSID." This may be filled out by the test administrator after the booklets are handed in.

Note: It is up to the test administrator to make note of students that need to have their SSID gridded in after testing.

Make sure students have correctly filled in their name, date of birth, gender, grade and that all bubbles are gridded before moving on.

Once you have completed filling out the room number, please turn your student response booklet to the back page. This page contains the Student Honor Code which reminds you to act honestly before, during and after testing. Test administrators are also required to sign a form stating that we will act in an honest and professional manner. Follow along silently as I read aloud the K-PREP Student Honor Code.

#### **K-PREP Student Honor Code**

I understand the answers on this test must be my own work. Receiving test questions or answers from others is cheating. Giving test questions or answers to others is cheating. If I cheat before, during or after the test, my school may discipline me, and my test may not be scored.

It is very important that you realize that you should do your own work and try to the best of your ability, always putting forth your best effort.

Below the statement there is a line, please sign your name.

Make sure all students are following this step.

5. Once students have completed filling out the identification information and have clicked the "I agree to the Terms and Conditions" for the online Student Honor Code or have signed the Student Honor Code statement on their student response booklet, proceed with the test.

Note: If a student is unwilling to sign the Student Honor Code, testing should not be delayed; document the incident and proceed with the test.

# **Grade 10 Reading Accommodated Scripts**

## Reading: Part A

The table below shows the time allowed for Part A.

Content Area	Multiple- Choice	Short- Answer	Extended- Response	Testi	ng Time
Reading	17	2	0	Allowed	75 minutes

1. Check to see that each student has his or her own test materials. Hand out any additional materials needed to complete this testing part.

#### Reading

- No. 2 pencils only (no mechanical pencils or pencils that differ in hardness of lead)
- > Extra lined, plain, or graph paper (scratch paper)
- Erasers
- Hand-Held Calculators (optional)

## 2. Say to the students:

We will now begin the K-PREP assessment for Reading Part A. Some of the questions may be difficult to answer, but it is important that you do your best. If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it.

[Allow enough time for students to read the page.]

If you need to review the scoring guide for the short-answer questions, it is located on page 2 in your test booklet. Remember your response to the short-answer questions must fit within the short-answer designated space.

Does anyone have any questions?

#### 3. Say to the students:

Turn to page 4 in your test booklet. Look at the examples of correct and incorrect marks at the top of the page. When answering questions in your student response booklet:

- Use only soft black lead pencil (No. 2).
- > Do NOT use ink or ball-point pen.
- When marking your answers to multiple-choice questions, make heavy, dark marks that completely fill the circle.
- > Completely erase any marks you wish to change.
- > Do not make any stray marks on any page of your student response booklet.

For the short-answer questions, be sure you write your answers on the lines and in the spaces provided. Answers or parts of answers written outside the boxed areas cannot be scored.

Does anyone have any questions?

4. Say to the students:

Now turn to page 5 in your test booklet. Please read the directions in the box at the top of the page silently while I read them aloud.

[Read the following directions to the students.]

This part of the test contains reading passages with a total of 17 multiple-choice questions and 2 short-answer questions. Please mark your answer for each question in the space provided in your student response booklet (Reading – Part A). If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it. DO NOT WRITE ANY ANSWERS IN THIS TEST BOOKLET.

5. Record the start time and the end time where all students will be able to see them.

Say to the students:

You will have 75 minutes to answer the questions.

6. Say to the students:

Read all the information and the questions carefully. Choose the best answer(s). Mark all your answers in the student response booklet.

7. Say to the students:

Please stop when you come to the STOP sign in the bottom right corner on page 20. During the test session, you may review your answers to the test questions.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Make sure students are on the correct page of the test booklet and the student response booklet.]

You may turn the page and begin.

8. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to see.

After 75 minutes, say to the students:

This completes the reading test, Part A. Please close your test booklet and student response booklet.

9. Before collecting all test materials verify that all students have written their name, school and district name on the demographic page of the student response booklet. Store all test materials in a secure place.

. Collect the scratch paper and follow the directions provided by the DAC or BAC for destroying it.	

## Reading: Part B

The table below shows the time allowed for Part B

Content Area	Multiple- Choice	Short- Answer	Extended- Response	Test	ing Time
Reading	27	0	1	Allowed	100 nutes

1. Check to see that each student has his or her own test materials. Hand out any additional materials needed to complete this testing part.

#### Reading

- No. 2 pencils only (no mechanical pencils or pencils that differ in hardness of lead)
- Extra lined, plain, or graph paper (scratch paper)
- Erasers
- Hand-Held Calculators (optional)

#### 2. Say to the students:

We will now begin the K-PREP assessment for Reading Part B. Some of the questions may be difficult to answer, but it is important that you do your best. If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it.

[Allow enough time for students to read the page.]

If you need to review the scoring guide for the extended-response, it is located on page 3 in your test booklet. Remember your response to the extended-response questions must fit within the extended-response designated space.

Does anyone have any questions?

3. Say to the students:

Turn to page 4 in your test booklet. Look at the examples of correct and incorrect marks at the top of the page. When answering questions in your student response booklet:

- > Use only soft black lead pencil (No. 2).
- > Do NOT use ink or ball-point pen.
- When marking your answers to multiple-choice questions, make heavy, dark marks that completely fill the circle.
- Completely erase any marks you wish to change.
- Do not make any stray marks on any page of your student response booklet.
- For the extended-response questions, be sure you write your answers on the lines and in the spaces provided. Answers or parts of answers written outside the boxed areas cannot be scored.

Does anyone have any questions?

4. Say to the students:

Now turn to page 21 in your test booklet. Please read the directions in the box at the top of the page silently while I read them aloud.

[Read the following directions to the students.]

This part of the test contains reading passages with a total of 27 multiple-choice questions and 1 extended-response question. Please mark your answer for each question in the space provided in your student response booklet (Reading – Part B). If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it. DO NOT WRITE ANY ANSWERS IN THIS TEST BOOKLET.

5. Record the start time and the end time where all students will be able to see them.

Say to the students:

You will have 100 minutes to answer the questions.

6. Say to the students:

Read all the information and the questions carefully. Choose the best answer(s). Mark all your answers in the student response booklet.

Say to the students:

Please stop when you come to the STOP sign located in the bottom right corner on page 41. During the test session, you may review your answers to the test questions.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Make sure students are on the correct page of the test booklet and the student response booklet.]

You may turn the page and begin.

8. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to see.

After 100 minutes, say to the students:

This completes the reading test, Part B. Please close your test booklet and student response booklet.

- 9. Before collecting all test materials verify that all students have written their name, school and district name on the demographic page of the student response booklet. Store all test materials in a secure place.
- 10. Collect the scratch paper and follow the directions provided by the DAC or BAC for destroying it.

# **Grade 10 Mathematics Accommodated Scripts**

## Grade 10 Mathematics: Part A (No calculators permitted on Mathematics Part A)

The table below shows the time allowed for both Part A

Content Area	Multiple- Choice	Extended- Response	Testing Times	
Mathematics Part A (no calculator allowed)	8	0	Allowed	15 minutes

 Distribute one test booklet and one student response booklet (both with the student's name on it) to each student. Check to see that each student has his or her own test materials. Hand out any additional materials needed to complete this testing part. Please follow the gridding instructions from "Completing Student Information-Accommodated Materials" on page 64 for filling out the demographic information on the SRB.

#### **Mathematics: Part A**

No. 2 pencils only (no mechanical pencils or pencils that differ in hardness of lead)

Extra lined, plain, or graph paper (scratch paper)

**Erasers** 

If the students have not already filled in Box 6 for this subject, have them do so now. Before reading the information below for Box 6, the Test Administrator must write the room number on the board. This is a four-digit field. If the room number is less than four digits, place zeros in front of the room number to make it four digits long. For example, if the student is taking this test in Room 1, write Mathematics on the board with the room number 0001 below it.

## Say to the students:

Box 6 is labeled "Room Number Where Student is Tested." Write the room number in the boxes under "Mathematics" and then grid the numbers accordingly.

[Make sure all students are following this step.]

## 2. Say to the students:

We will now begin the K-PREP test for Mathematics, Part A. Some of the questions may be difficult to answer, but it is important that you do your best. If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it.

Does anyone have any questions?

#### 3. Say to the students:

Turn to the page 4 in your test booklet. Look at the examples of correct and incorrect marks at the top of the page. When answering questions in your student response booklet:

- Use only soft black lead pencil (No. 2).
- Do NOT use ink or ball-point pen.
- When marking your answers to multiple-choice questions, make heavy, dark marks that completely fill the circle. Mark only one answer for each question.
- > Completely erase any marks you wish to change.

- For the extended-response questions, be sure to write answers on the lines and in the spaces provided. Answers or parts of answers written outside the boxed areas cannot be scored.
- Do not make any stray marks on any page of your student response booklet.

Does anyone have any questions?

## 4. Say to the students:

Now turn to page 5, in your test booklet. Please read the directions in the box at the top of the page silently while I read them aloud.

[Read the following directions to the students.]

This part of the test contains 8 multiple-choice questions. You may NOT use a calculator during this part. Please mark your answer for each question in the space provided in your student response booklet (Mathematics - Part A). If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it. DO NOT WRITE ANY ANSWERS IN THIS TEST BOOKLET. WHEN YOU FINISH, DO NOT WORK ON ANY OTHER PART OF THE TEST.

Does anyone have any questions?

5. Record the start time and the end time where all students will be able to see them.

You will have 15 minutes to complete the test.

## 6. Say to the students:

Read all the information and the questions carefully. Choose the best answer(s). Some multiple-select items will require you to choose more than one answer. Mark all your answers in the student response booklet.

## 7. Say to the students:

Please stop when you come to the STOP sign located in the bottom right corner on page 8. During the test session, you may review your answers to the test questions.

**Does anyone have any questions?** [Make sure students are on the correct page of the test booklet and the student response booklet.]

You may turn the page and begin.

8. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 10-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to see.

After 15 minutes, say to the students:

This completes Part A. Please close your test booklet and student response booklet.

- 9. Before collecting all test materials, verify that all students have written his or her name, school and district name on the front cover of the test booklet. Store all test materials in a secure place until the next scheduled test session.
- 10. Collect the scratch paper and follow the directions provided by the DAC or BAC for destroying it.

## **Grade 10 Mathematics: Part B**

The table below shows the time allowed for both Part B

Content Area	Multiple- Choice	Extended- Response	Testing Times	
Mathematics Part B	37	3	Allowed	110 minutes

 Distribute one test booklet and one student response booklet (both with the student's name on it) to each student. Check to see that each student has his or her own test materials. Hand out any additional materials needed to complete this testing part.

## Mathematics: Part B

No. 2 pencils only (no mechanical pencils or pencils that differ in hardness of lead)

Extra lined, plain, or graph paper (scratch paper)

**Erasers** 

Calculator

## 2. Say to the students:

We will now begin the K-PREP test for Mathematics, Part B. Some of the questions may be difficult to answer, but it is important that you do your best. If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it.

If you need to review the scoring guide for the extended-response, it is located on page 3 in your test booklet. Remember your response to the extended-response questions must fit within the extended-response designated space.

Does anyone have any questions?

#### 3. Say to the students:

Turn to the page 4 in your test booklet. Look at the examples of correct and incorrect marks at the top of the page. When answering questions in your student response booklet:

- Use only soft black lead pencil (No. 2).
- Do NOT use ink or ball-point pen.
- When marking your answers to multiple-choice questions, make heavy, dark marks that completely fill the circle. Mark only one answer for each question.
- Completely erase any marks you wish to change.
- For the extended-response questions, be sure to write answers on the lines and in the spaces provided. Answers or parts of answers written outside the boxed areas cannot be scored.
- Do not make any stray marks on any page of your student response booklet.

4. Say to the students:

Now turn to page 9, in your test booklet. Please read the directions in the box at the top of the page silently while I read them aloud.

[Read the following directions to the students.]

This part of the test contains 37 multiple-choice questions and 3 extended-response questions. You may use a calculator during this part. Please mark your answer for each question in the space provided in your student response booklet (Mathematics - Part B). If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it. DO NOT WRITE ANY ANSWERS IN THIS TEST BOOKLET. WHEN YOU FINISH, DO NOT WORK ON ANY OTHER PART OF THE TEST.

Does anyone have any questions?

5. Record the start time and the end time where all students will be able to see them.

You will have 110 minutes to complete the test.

6. Say to the students:

Read all the information and the questions carefully. Choose the best answer(s). Some multiple-select items will require you to choose more than one answer. Mark all your answers in the student response booklet.

7. Say to the students:

Please stop when you come to the STOP sign located in the bottom right corner on page 35. During the test session, you may review your answers to the test questions.

**Does anyone have any questions?** [Make sure students are on the correct page of the test booklet and the student response booklet.]

You may turn the page and begin.

8. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to see.

After 110 minutes, say to the students:

This completes Part B. Please close your test booklet and student response booklet.

- 9. Before collecting all test materials, verify that all students have written his or her name, school and district name on the front cover of the test booklet. Store all test materials in a secure place until the next scheduled test session.
- Collect the scratch paper and follow the directions provided by the DAC or BAC for destroying it.

This is the end of the Grade 10 test.

## **Grade 11 Science Accommodated Scripts**

## Science: Part A

The table below shows the time allowed.

Content Area	Clusters	Multiple- Choice	Multiple- Select	Extended- Response	Tes	ting Time
Science	2	12	2	2	Allowed	60 inutes

1. Check to see that each student has his or her own test materials. Hand out any additional materials needed to complete this testing part.

#### Science

- No. 2 pencils only (no mechanical pencils or pencils that differ in hardness of lead)
- Extra lined, plain, or graph paper (scratch paper)
- Erasers
- Hand-Held Calculators (optional)

## 2. Say to the students:

We will now begin the Science, Part A assessment. Some of the questions may be difficult to answer, but it is important that you do your best. If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it.

[Allow enough time for students to read the page.]

Does anyone have any questions?

If you need to review the scoring guide for the extended-response questions, it is located on page 2 in your test booklet. Remember your response to the extended-response questions must fit within the extended-response designated space.

#### 3. Say to the students:

Turn to page 4 in your test booklet. Look at the examples of correct and incorrect marks at the top of the page. When answering questions in your student response booklet:

- Use only soft black lead pencil (No. 2).
- > Do NOT use ink or ball-point pen.
- When marking your answers to multiple-choice and multiple-select questions, make heavy, dark marks that completely fill the circle.
- Completely erase any marks you wish to change.
- Do not make any stray marks on any page of your student response booklet.
- For the extended-response questions, be sure you write your answers on the lines and in the spaces provided. Answers or parts of answers written outside the boxed areas cannot be scored.

4. Say to the students:

Now turn to page 5 in your test booklet. Please read the directions in the box at the top of the page silently while I read them aloud.

[Read the following directions to the students.]

Read each question and choose the best answer. Then mark the space in your student response booklet for the answer you have chosen.

5. Record the start time and the end time where all students will be able to see them.

Say to the students:

You will have 60 minutes to answer the questions from two separate clusters.

6. Say to the students:

Each cluster or section is about a different phenomenon. Read all the information and the questions carefully. Choose the best answer(s). Some multiple-select items will require you to choose more than one answer. Mark all your answers in the student response booklet.

7. Say to the students:

Please stop when you come to the STOP sign located in the bottom right corner on page 22.

**Does anyone have any questions?** [Make sure students are on the correct page of the test booklet and student response booklet.]

You may turn the page and begin.

8. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to view.

After 60 minutes, say to the students:

This completes Part A. Please close your test booklet and student answer booklet.

- 9. Before collecting all test materials verify that all students have written their name, school and district name on the demographic page of the student response booklet. Store all test materials in a secure place.
- 10. Collect the scratch paper and follow the directions provided by the DAC or BAC for destroying it.

## Science: Part B

The table below shows the time allowed.

Content Area	Clusters	Multiple- Choice	Multiple- Select	Extended- Response	Testing Time	
Science	2	12	2	2	Allowed	60 minutes

1. Distribute each student's science test booklet and student response booklet. Check to see that each student has his or her own test materials. Hand out any additional materials needed to complete this testing part.

#### Science

- No. 2 pencils only (no mechanical pencils or pencils that differ in hardness of lead)
- Extra lined, plain, or graph paper (scratch paper)
- Erasers
- Hand-held Calculators (optional)

## 2. Say to the students:

We will now continue the Science assessment, Part B. Some of the questions may be difficult to answer, but it is important that you do your best. If you are not sure of the answer to a question, you should still attempt to answer it.

[Allow enough time for students to read the page.]

Does anyone have any questions?

If you need to review the scoring guide for the extended-response questions, it is located on page 2 in your test booklet. Remember, your responses to the extended-response questions must fit within the designated spaces.

#### 3. Say to the students:

Turn to page 4 in your test booklet. Look at the examples of correct and incorrect marks at the top of the page. When answering questions in your student response booklet:

- Use only soft black lead pencil (No. 2).
- > Do NOT use ink or ball-point pen.
- When marking your answers to multiple-choice and multiple-select questions, make heavy, dark marks that completely fill the circle.
- Completely erase any marks you wish to change.
- Do not make any stray marks on any page of your student response booklet.
- For the extended-response questions, be sure you write your answers on the lines and in the spaces provided. Answers or parts of answers written outside the boxed areas cannot be scored.

4. Say to the students:

Now turn to page 23, Part B in your test booklet. Please read the directions in the box at the top of the page silently while I read them aloud.

[Read the following directions to the students.]

Read each question and choose the best answer. Then mark the space in your student response booklet for the answer you have chosen.

5. Record the start time and the end time where all students will be able to see them.

Say to the students:

You will have 60 minutes to answer the questions from two separate clusters.

6. Say to the students:

Please stop when you come to the STOP sign located in the bottom right corner on page 49.

**Does anyone have any questions?** [Make sure students are on the correct page of the test booklet and the student response booklet.]

You may turn the page and begin.

7. Circulate and monitor student's work during the test.

When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to view.

After 60 minutes, say to the students:

This completes Part B. Please close your test booklet and student response booklet.

- 8. Before collecting all test materials verify that all students have written his or her name, school and district name on the front cover of the student response booklet. Store all test materials in a secure place.
- 9. Collect the scratch paper and follow the directions provided by the DAC or BAC for destroying it.

## **Grade 11 On-Demand Writing Accommodated Scripts**

## Writing: Part A

The table below shows the time allowed.

Content Areas		Testing Time	
Writing	Part A (Stand Alone Prompt)	Allowed	40 minutes

 Distribute one test booklet and one student response booklet (both with the student's name on it) to each student. Check to see that each student has his or her own test materials. Hand out any additional materials needed to complete this testing part.

## Writing: Part A

- No. 2 pencils only (no mechanical pencils or pencils that differ in hardness of lead)
- Thesauri and Dictionaries
- Erasers

No scratch paper is allowed on this part.

If the students have not already filled in Box 6 for this subject, have them do so now. Before reading the information below for Box 6, the Test Administrator must write the room number on the board. This is a four-digit field. If the room number is less than four digits, place zeros in front of the room number to make it four digits long. For example, if the student is taking this test in Room 1, write ON-DEMAND WRITING on the board with the room number 0001 below it.

## Say to the students:

Box 6 is labeled "Room Number Where Student is Tested." Write the room number in the boxes under "On-Demand Writing" and then grid the numbers accordingly.

[Make sure all students are following this step.]

## 2. Say to the students:

We will now begin the Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) test for On-Demand Writing. You are going to take Part A. It is important for you to do your best.

When answering questions in your student response booklet:

- Use only soft black lead pencil (No. 2).
- > Do NOT use ink or ball-point pen.
- Completely erase any marks you wish to change.
- > Do not make any stray marks on any page of your student response booklet.
- For the on-demand writing responses, be sure you write your answers on the lines and in the spaces provided. Answers or parts of answers written outside the boxed areas cannot be scored.

Now turn page 2 in your test booklet. This page contains the scoring criteria for writing that will be used to evaluate your responses. Read through this page very carefully. You may refer to it during any part of the test.

Page 4 has the Writer's Reference sheet for grade 11; you may also refer to this page during any part of the test.

[Allow enough time for students to read the page.]

Does anyone have any questions?

## 3. Say to the students:

Now turn to page 5, Writing Part A, in your test booklet. Do not turn the page until I tell you to do so. Please read the directions silently while I read them aloud.

[Read the following directions to the students.]

In a few minutes, you will begin Part A of the writing test. Part A contains two writing tasks, Task 1 and Task 2. You will choose one of the tasks in which to respond. You will have 40 minutes for this task. This is an individual activity; therefore, you are not allowed to work with or conference with anyone.

- After reading the two tasks, mark your selection: Task 1 or Task 2.
- Start by thinking about what you plan to write.
- Use the Writer's Reference Sheet to aid in planning, revising, and editing your response.
- Review scoring criteria on the page 2 as these are the criteria that will be used to score your work.
- It is advisable to use pre-writing/planning activities such as making notes, outlining, webbing, mapping, clustering, or brainstorming on the pre-writing sheet on page 6 of your test book.
- Create your pre-write piece on page 6 of your test book. You may use a dictionary and/or thesaurus for this portion.
- Write your FINAL copy in the space provided in your student response booklet.
- When you finish, await further instruction.

Remember: The pre-writing/planning activities in your test book will NOT be scored; only the final copy in your student response booklet will be scored.

4. Record the start time and the end time where all students will be able to see them.

You will have 40 minutes to complete your response.

\*\* Mark the bubble at the top of page 3 in your student response booklet to indicate the task you have chosen.

Please proceed to the STOP sign located on page 8. During the session, you may reread any selection or review your response in Part A. Do NOT work on any other test parts, even if you have time remaining in the session.

Does anyone have any questions?

[Make sure students are on the correct page of their test booklet and student response booklet.]

When you finish, close your test booklet and student response booklet. Please sit quietly until everyone is finished.

You may turn to page 7 and begin.

5. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to view.

After 40 minutes, say to the students:

This completes Part A. Make sure you have gridded the correct task selection bubble on page 3 of your student response booklet and then close your test book and student response booklet.

6. Before collecting all test materials verify that all students have marked the bubble on page 3 of the student response booklet for the task they just completed and that the student has written his or her name, school and district name on the front cover of the test booklet. Store all test materials in a secure place until the next scheduled test session.

## Writing: Part B

The table below shows the time allowed.

Content Area		Testing Time		
Writing	Part B (Passage based prompt)	Allowed	90 minutes	

1. Distribute one test booklet and one student response booklet (both with the student's name on it) to each student. Check to see that each student has his or her own test materials. Hand out any additional materials needed to complete this testing part.

## Writing: Part B

- No. 2 pencils only (no mechanical pencils or pencils that differ in hardness of lead)
- Erasers
- Thesaurus and Dictionaries
- Writer's Reference Sheet (provided by Pearson)

No scratch paper is allowed on this part.

2. Say to the students:

We will now continue the K-PREP test for On-Demand Writing. You are going to take Part B. It is important that you do your best.

If you need to review the scoring criteria for the writing questions, they are on the page 2 in your test booklet. Remember, your response to the passage-based prompt must fit in the area designated.

[Allow enough time for students to read the page.]

Does anyone have any questions?

3. Say to the students:

Turn to page 9, Writing Part B, in your test booklet. Do not turn the page until I tell you to do so. Please read the directions silently while I read them aloud. [Read the following directions to the students.]

Read the item carefully before beginning. You will have 90 minutes for this task. This is an individual activity; therefore, you are not allowed to work with or conference with anyone.

- Start by thinking about what you plan to write.
- Use the Writer's Reference Sheet to aid in planning, revising, and editing your response.
- Review scoring criteria on page 2 as these are the criteria that will be used to score your work.
- It is advisable to use pre-writing/planning activities such as making notes, outlining, webbing, mapping, clustering or brainstorming on the pre-writing sheet on page 10 of your test book.

- Create your pre-write piece on page 10 of your test book. You may use a dictionary and/or thesaurus for this portion.
- Write your FINAL copy in the space provided in your student response booklet.
- When you finish, await further instruction.

Remember: The pre-writing/planning activities in your test book will NOT be scored; only the final copy in your student response booklet will be scored.

Does anyone have any questions?

4. Record the start time and the end time where all students will be able to see them.

You will have 90 minutes to do the required reading and answer the passage-based prompt in this session.

Please stop when you come to the STOP sign located on page 14. During the test session, you may reread any selection or review your response to the passage-based prompt in Part B. Do NOT work on any other test parts, even if you have time remaining in the session.

**Does anyone have any questions?** [Make sure students are on the correct page of their test booklet and student response booklet.]

When you finish, close your test booklet and student response booklet. Please sit quietly until everyone is finished.

You may turn to page 11 and begin.

5. Circulate and monitor students' work during the test.

When 15-minute and 5-minute time intervals remain, note this information on the board for all students to view.

After 90 minutes, say to the students:

This completes Part B. Please close your test booklet and student response booklet.

6. Before collecting all test materials, verify that all students have written his or her name, school and district name on the front cover of the test booklet. Store all test materials in a secure place.

This is the end of the Grade 11 test.

## Part 7: After Test Administration

# Test Administration Verifications and Post-Test Procedures (paper-based)

Your special attention to these procedures will greatly help your BAC, DAC and Pearson promptly process testing materials.

## **After Testing**

- Conduct any necessary makeup tests.
- Collect all test materials assigned to you and return them to your BAC or DAC.

## **Student Response Booklets (Scorable)**

- Verify that you are submitting a student response booklet for every student using an accommodated test kit.
- Ensure each booklet is in good condition.
- Make sure students using accommodated test materials have bubbled in their demographic information correctly and completely on their SRB.
- Ensure each booklet is properly marked.
- Ensure each booklet is free of scratch paper.

## **Secure Test Materials**

- Verify all accommodated test booklets (Braille, Large Print, Audio CD/Flash Drive and Text Reader) and regular test booklets are being returned for every student using accommodated test materials.
- Verify each used student test booklet has the student's name, school and district name written on the front cover.
- Verify each booklet is properly marked.
- Verify each booklet is free of scratch paper.
- Sign the School Test Materials Security Checklist to document that all security number barcoded test materials assigned to you have been returned.

## Scratch Paper

- Verify that scratch paper used during the test has been collected and removed.
- Follow directions provided by your BAC for destroying scratch paper.

## Final Steps

- Organize the materials prior to handing them over to your BAC.
- Verify that all materials assigned to you have been returned.

## **Appendix: Forms**

## Form Descriptions and Links

## **Appropriate Assessment Practices Certification Form**

The Appropriate Assessment Practices Certification Form is included in the Appendix of every *Test Administrator's Manual/Scripts*. This form should be read and signed by each test administrator and kept on file by the BAC and/or the DAC. **A paper copy should be retained in the district office**.

## **Extraordinary Circumstance Non-Participation Form**

The <u>Extraordinary Circumstance Non-Participation Form</u> should be used for students who should not be tested for reasons other than a medical non-participation. The form can be found on KDE's website. The completed paper copy should be retained in the district office.

## **Medical Emergency Form**

Some medical emergencies that occur during testing can be addressed by using accommodations in a school, classroom or homebound setting.

Approval from KDE is not necessary for providing the needed accommodations. The completed form should be kept on file in the district. The <u>Medical Emergency Form</u> can be found on KDE's website.

## **Medical Non-Participation Instructions:**

## **Guidelines for Completion of Medical Non-Participation Forms**

It is the intent of the Kentucky General Assembly that all students participate in the online assessment components of KRS 158.645–KRS 158.6455.

The few exceptions currently allowed include those few students who cannot complete either the regular or alternate assessment components even with allowable accommodations because of medical or mental health conditions.

It is important to note that a student's handicapping condition cannot be used as the justification for a medical non-participation. Because these children must be educated with the handicapping condition, they must also be assessed with the condition using appropriate accommodations. Homebound and school testing schedules do not require testing sessions for the entire school day. In most cases, sessions are spread over the testing window and vary by grade level.

If a school feels that participation in the state-required assessment would be detrimental to a student's physical, mental or emotional well-being, the DAC or BAC must complete the Medical Non-Participation Form and obtain signatures from a physician and the student's parent/guardian. The information provided should reflect the situation just prior to or during the testing window.

Examples of the types of medical conditions that are readily approved by KDE include the following:

A student is seriously injured in an accident just prior to or during the testing window.

- A student is confined to home or hospital with an acute situation, not a long-term home/hospital instruction situation.
- ➤ A student is unable to interact with people without serious risk of infection or contamination to others.
- A student is pregnant with complications that endanger the health of mother or child or has delivered just prior to or during the testing window.
- A student has a documented mental health crisis that makes him or her dangerous to self and/or others.

The completed paper copy should be retained in the district office. The Medical Non-Participation Form can be found on Forms page of the KDE's website.

## **Seating Charts**

Seating charts, available for groups and/or individuals, are required for all state-required test administrations, reflecting students and adults in the testing room. The DAC will collect and maintain. <u>Seating Charts</u> are available on the <u>Forms</u> page of the KDE's website.

## Spring 2020 Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) Appropriate Assessment Practices Certification Form

## **Appropriate Assessment Practices**

The Kentucky General Assembly through KRS 158.6453 requires an innovative student assessment program designed to measure student progress toward achievement of the goals specified in KRS 158.6451. The purpose of this document is to describe the practices that are considered appropriate in preparing students for the assessments, in administering them and in assuring proper security of the assessments.

In determining appropriate practices, the following standards have been used:

- Professional Ethics—No test-preparation practice should violate the ethical standards of the education profession in 16 KAR 1:020.
- ➤ Educational Defensibility—All test preparation practices shall be designed and used for the purpose of increasing student learning.
- > Student Ownership—All assessment work shall be done entirely by the student. No one shall coach, edit, or point out errors in student work on the constructed-response or multiple-choice portions of the test.

The first standard simply refers to evaluating the appropriateness of a practice to determine whether it meets standards of professional ethics. Therefore, such activities as duplicating secure testing materials, which is specifically prohibited, would be considered inappropriate by applying this standard. Only those items designated by the department or its contractors as "released" may be reproduced for any reason without the specific written permission from the Kentucky Department of Education (KDE). The second and third standards encourage any activities that increase student mastery of the content being tested but would classify as unacceptable any practice that creates a deceptive picture of student achievement.

Administrators and teachers should all use due diligence to ensure the security of the test before, during, and after administration. All copies of materials shall be returned to the testing contractor immediately following administration or properly secured through procedures that may be issued by the department. No assessment materials other than those officially designated as released may be duplicated. All directions in the *District and Building Assessment Coordinators' Manual* and the *Test Administrator's Manual* that accompany the test materials shall be followed. For additional information concerning appropriate assessment practices, please refer to the *Administration Code for Kentucky's Educational Assessment Program (703 KAR 5:080) at:* http://education.ky.gov/AA/distsupp/Pages/AdminCode.aspx.

A 2020 Appropriate Assessment Practices Certification Form signature block is provided on the next page. All school personnel involved in the assessment must sign this form. Additionally, a test administrator guide for the state-required assessments is provided for use.

Appendix: Forms

## Test Administrator Guide for the 2020 Grades 10 and 11 Spring K-PREP

Test Administrators for the Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) shall maintain an atmosphere conducive to the successful completion of the assessment. No information about the content of answers may be provided to the students.

## Test Administrators should do the following for the 2020 Online Spring K-PREP:

- Adhere to testing regulations.
- Verify beforehand that the testing environment will not prohibit students from completing their tasks (e.g., adequate ventilation, no broken furniture, adequate lighting).
- Explain to students how to fill out test booklets and student response booklets according to the directions for the paper-based test.
- Provide scratch paper for the Grade 11 online on-demand writing test. Use of a note pad is also available for the online science and on-demand writing test.
- Encourage students to work constructively to complete the assessment; however, test administrators shall not provide any content information for the assessment.
- Notify your Building Assessment Coordinator of printing errors if they are discovered (e.g., mis numbered pages, blank pages, smeared copy).
- · Circulate among students during testing.
- Return all materials to the vendor after testing.
- Take all measures allowed by the school to prevent interruptions (e.g., messengers, intercom announcements).

## Test Administrators should NOT do the following for the 2020 Spring K-PREP:

- Duplicate or reproduce any part of the assessment in any manner.
- Provide tools except as specifically allowed in the instructions (i.e., dictionaries and thesauri may be provided for writing).
- Answer questions related to the response (no hints, restatements, interpretations, rephrasing for clarification).
- Provide preprinted acronym sheet or paper containing a system for organizing answers (e.g., column method, ROOTs).
- Hover over individual students for extended periods of time.
- Allow distractions.
- Engage in activities preventing their full attention to the students.

All school personnel involved with the assessment program must sign the following certification form. The form should be kept on file in the local district.

I have received and read the Administration Code for Kentucky's Educational Assessment Program, the Inclusion of Special Populations, and the Appropriate Assessment Practices Certification Form provided by the Kentucky Department of Education.

Name of District	Name of School
Staff Member's Signature	Date

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